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CONNOISSEUR FOR A DAY

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Ken White showed his discrening eye last Friday at the Carmel Art Association gallery on Dolores.

■ *White makes his picks for 'Mayor's Choice' exhibit*

By PAUL WOLF

THE COLLAGE — a mass of painted strips of paper on canvas — caught Mayor Ken White's eye.

Intrigued, he moved closer to the Point Lobos seascape, but the piece lost its impact upon close inspection.

"You have to stand too far back to appreciate it," White remarked about the work by a Pacific Grove artist.

White then gravitated toward a Carmel Valley landscape, painted by Monterey resident John McWilliams. White liked its "muted tones" and tagged it: "Mayor's Choice. Awaiting exhibit."

By the powers vested in his office, the retired athletic director wears the hat of art connoisseur for a day.

Last Friday, White undertook a whirlwind tour of Carmel galleries to select 30 or so works for the Mayor's Choice Exhibit, a centerpiece in the Carmel Art Festival.

On May 16 and 17, residents and visitors can view

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Carmelites urge FORA to put 'excess' Ord land in public hands

By PAUL WOLF

WITH THEIR chances appearing dim for securing the smaller-scale reuse plan they hope for, Carmel residents and city council officials are pushing the idea of limiting long-term development at Fort Ord by keeping some land in "public trust."

At a hearing Tuesday at City Hall, the term "urban reserve" was used repeatedly by citizens who are concerned about the final reuse plan and environmental impact report (EIR), and by council members who recognize Carmel's lack of clout on the Fort Ord Reuse Authority (FORA) board.

Such a reserve would keep some residential, industrial and commercial development areas out of private hands until FORA turns them over to the jurisdictions that are supposed to inherit them.

"As it stands, we are entrusting a great deal to other cities that will be making decisions for us," said Councilman Marshall Hydorn, expressing the recurring anxiety of officials in built-out cities like Carmel, Monterey and Pacific Grove.

Marshall Hydorn

The major beneficiaries of the reuse are Seaside, Marina, Del Rey Oaks and the County of Monterey. FORA is expected to approve the final plan as soon as May 22.

No vote

The council received comments but did not vote on the concept of a reserve.

Councilwoman Barbara Livingston supported the idea of putting certain development zones off limits so long as water supplies, road capacity and the funding to pay for them have not been identified.

"Water is always available to developers who will pay

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A HIGH-COST GAME OF CHICKEN

■ *CV man, land trust enter legal squabble over 100-square-foot coop*

By KIRSTIE WILDE

FIFTEEN CHICKENS have run afoul of the law in Carmel Valley, their chicken coop has ruffled feathers at the Big Sur Land Trust, and the whole thing could end up in court.

In fact, three attorneys who are pretty high on the local legal pecking order are involved in a fight over the tiny chicken coop just off Carmel Valley Road near St. Philips Lutheran Church.

SPECIAL REPORT

On one side is Zad Leavy and Michael Stamp (representing the land trust), who have filed a lawsuit demanding the eviction of the chickens and demolition of their coop.

On the other side is Tony Lombardo (representing David Carroll and his chickens), who says it's an "absurd shakedown by the land trust to get money out of these people." Meanwhile, the legal bills on both sides continue to mount.

The case began in 1988, when the former owner of the 50-acre property wanted to build two homes. In exchange for the permits, the owner was required by Monterey County to promise never to build anything else on 40 of his acres. This promise became a "conservation easement" in favor of the land trust, which also took on the responsibility of policing the acreage.

By 1992, Carroll had purchased 30 acres, and his sister Pam Sheppard and her husband bought the other 20. They had their "building envelopes" surveyed by the same company that originally mapped out the conservation easement and worked with an architect and county building inspectors to get two homes built by 1995.

Carroll and his wife moved into their home, along with their horses, dogs, pigs and chickens.

No plans

"We like animals," says Carroll, "and we like open spaces. We never minded the conservation easement because we never planned to build anything else out here anyway.

"As time went on, the grass grew and the stakes broke off and it wasn't clear exactly where the easement boundary was. Then this guy from the Big Sur Land Trust shows up and starts snapping pictures of my chicken coop and hog shed. The next thing I know, Brian Steen (land trust executive director) orders me to tear them down."

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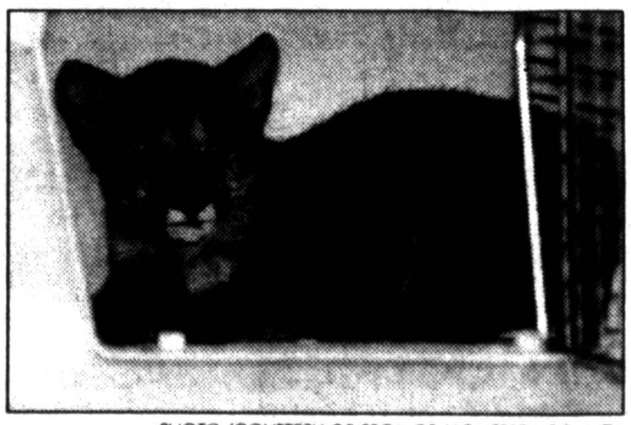
Orphan cub thrives — is the local pride growing too?

By PAUL MILLER

THE BABY mountain lion captured last week in a Carmel Valley family's yard is in very good health, according to scientists with the California Department of Fish and Game. Contrary to initial reports, the cub is male and about 12 weeks old.

Fish and Game also says he is eating well and shows no signs of disease. He's lunching on cat food and lounging around a kennel at the Wildlife Investigations Laboratory in Sacramento.



PHOTO/COURTESY OF SPCA OF MONTEREY COUNTY

The mountain lion cub getting ready to be moved to Sacramento last week.

Lorna Bernard of Fish and Game told the Pine Cone that the cub is no sweet kitty-cat though. He's so aggressive that there is no way to examine him without sedating him first. According to Bernard, the medical exam, undertaken last Friday, showed that the cub is growing normally, and has no medical problems, not even fleas or ticks.

Fish and Game is looking for a permanent home for the cub. He cannot be returned to the wild, they say, because he is too young to have learned how to hunt. If he were released back in Carmel Valley there is practically no chance his mother could locate him before he fell victim, himself, to predators like another adult lion.

Meanwhile, some Carmel Valley residents are concerned because of an apparent increase in the number of mountain lions lurking in popu-

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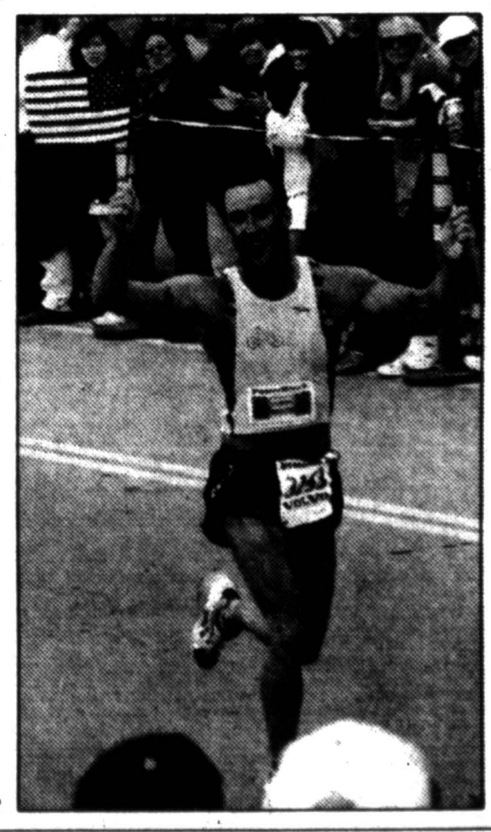

Vincent Bourret , who finished 43rd overall in Sunday's Big Sur Marathon, was Carmel's first man to cross the finish line.

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Carmel bulletin board to honor long-time art patron

By TAMARA GRIPPI

ANN BORDEN, one of the Carmel's strongest supporters of the arts, will be honored by a memorial "bulletin board" near Sunset Center.

At its April 23 meeting, the Carmel Planning Commission approved a bulletin board at the southeast corner of San Carlos and Eighth as a tribute to the former community and cultural commissioner who died in March 1996.

Anne Borden

The cultural commission wanted to do something to honor Borden, and decided that one of its members should propose the memorial bulletin board to the planning commission.

"It's something that Ann always wanted — a board listing events," said commission member Linda Anderson.

The planning commission approved the board on the condition that it be fashioned after the existing board at the entrance to Sunset Center, according to city planner Rick Tooker. Both bulletin boards will be the same size, have the same lighting and the same title.

The proposed memorial must next be approved by the city council.

Borden was a 47-year resident of Carmel. She was longtime member of the Community and Cultural Commission and the Tor House board of directors.

"She was the ideal volunteer," cultural commissioner Elisabeth Ungaretti said. "Whatever needed to be done, she was there."

Pacific Rep to hold auction

THE PACIFIC Repertory Theatre will hold its fourth annual "May Madness & Fantasy Auction" fund raiser at 6:30 p.m., Saturday at the Golden Bough Playhouse on Monte Verde in Carmel.

A tour of South America's Cape Horn on a Seabourn Cruise Line will highlight the event's auction, along with a gourmet buffet created by Chef Beat Giger of the Pebble Beach Co.

The cost is $50 per person. More information: 622-0100 or 622-0700.

Tim Cadigan joins Pine Cone as ad director

By PAUL MILLER

CARMEL PINE CONE Publishers Kirstie Wilde and Paul Miller have announced that one of our area's most experienced advertising executives, Tim Cadigan, will be joining the Pine Cone as Director of Advertising.

PHOTO/PAUL MILLER

Tim Cadigan

Cadigan has been local sales manager for KSBW-TV in Salinas since 1993. Before that, he served as general sales manager at KCBA-TV. He started his career in advertising as an ad sales rep for The Gazette Telegraph, a daily newspaper in Colorado Springs, Colo.

Mr. Cadigan, who lives in Pacific Grove, has a bachelor's degree in Psychology from Colorado State University. He starts his new job on Monday, May 5.

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Council policy to allow alcohol 'sales' creates controversy, confusion

By PAUL WOLF

THE CARMEL City Council is scheduled to reconsider a policy that might have allowed vendors to sell alcohol and T-shirts on the parking lot next to Carmel Beach — a "can of worms" the council didn't realize it was opening when it tried to help a nonprofit group stage a fundraiser.

Last October, the council approved the First Annual Fine Arts 5K run on Scenic Road, at the same time recognizing that the champagne served and the T-shirts the group would distribute to participants would technically be an illegal zoning use.

Jere Kersnar

Because hundreds of runners paid to be a part of the 3.1-mile race, the complimentary champagne, snacks and T-shirts handed out afterwards would be considered "sales."

To facilitate the Fine Arts 5K and other similar events, the council asked the city staff to draft a possible change to the municipal code. The result was a "short-term uses" policy — approved April 8 — allowing special-event vendors to sell food, drink and T-shirts at a variety of public places, including the parking lot next to Carmel Beach.

The council, scheduled to meet Tuesday at 3:30 p.m. at City Hall, will consider rescinding the policy it approved at its April 8 meeting.

"It's crazy to open up commercialism at the beach during special events," said Councilwoman Barbara Livingston. "I am so glad Councilman Bob Fischer and the mayor are bringing this back for reconsideration."

City Administrator Jere Kersnar said the policy, in theory, would allow alcohol sales at such annual events as the Sand Castle Contest or the Kite Festival. In addition, Kersnar envisioned new events in the future — say, a volleyball tournament or a barbecue — at which beer or wine could be sold.

> *"It's crazy to open up commercialism at the beach during special events,"*
>
> **— Councilwoman Barbara Livingston**

According to the city administrator, the council will consider referring the matter to the Carmel Beach Master Plan Task Force for further study.

"It has been a tenet of the City of Carmel to prevent, not encourage, commercial activity on the beach," Kersnar explained, noting that the council could consider finding "other solutions" for solving the dilemma posed by the Fine-Arts 5K.

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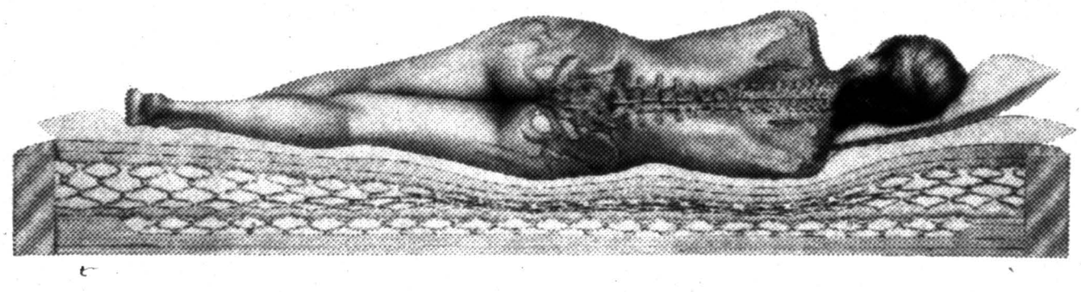

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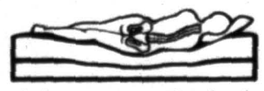

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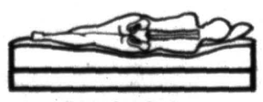

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Sheriff's Log

Naked foursome takes a dip; man brandishes soda can

HERE'S A look at some of the significant calls logged by the Monterey County Sheriff's Department between April 17 and April 26. "Carmel" entries do not include calls from within the city limits of Carmel-by-the-Sea, which is under the jurisdiction of the Carmel Police Department:

THURSDAY, APRIL 17

Carmel Valley: Report that a rifle was stolen from a ranch sometime in March.

Pebble Beach: A woman reported that a man grabbed her from behind while she was walking on the rec trail near Spanish Bay. He tried to pull her into the bushes. She fought with him and kicked him in the groin. He ran off toward the beach.

Carmel: A woman reported that someone from a tree service had called her several times about tree trimming. When his behavior became a little bizarre talking about killing baby trees she through she would let the sheriff know.

Carmel: A woman called to say that her neighbor was getting a little overzealous about his barking dog.

MONDAY, APRIL 21

Carmel: A man reported that while he was away from home his 13-year-old son along with a 14-year-old friend stole his 1997 car. The son was taken to juvenile hall. The friend was not located.

TUESDAY, APRIL 22

Carmel Valley: Call from a woman to say that her 16-year-old son was missing. When the sheriff arrived to investigate, the son arrived back home. He had taken a walk.

Carmel: Four naked people were reported swimming in a community pool. The woman who called wasn't offended; she just wanted them gone. They were making noise. One of the swimmers was arrested on an outstanding warrant.

Big Sur: A rowing machine was reported stolen from the exercise room at a well-known inn. No suspects.

Carmel: Realtor reported loud music being played next door to a house he is showing. The neighbor opposes the sale.

Carmel Valley: A woman says a man has been calling her at home constantly since he battered her. He also typed "187" into her pager.

Big Sur: Two people cited for having open containers of beer and some marijuana in their car.

Big Sur: Occupants warned about roadside camping and sleeping in their car.

Carmel: A man reported that one of his roommates struck him in the face after he called her "one step below a whore." She said she struck him after her shoved her. Both wished no prosecution.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23

Carmel Valley: A woman and her husband could not find a gold necklace valued at $3,600. It was last seen on her husband's neck.

Carmel Valley: A restaurant requested close patrol fearing retaliation from a man whose girlfriend was denied unemployment compensation.

Carmel: Man reported having told another motorist not to tailgate. The motorist swore at him, made an unkind gesture and struck the side of his car with a soda can.

Carmel Valley: Unknown persons reconnected power and water to a residence after both had been cut due to non-payment of bills.

Pebble Beach: Woman says someone poured salt in the engine of her husband's car while it was parked in an employee parking lot.

THURSDAY, APRIL 24

Carmel Valley: A man says his wife won't give him his car keys. She says she would not give him his keys until they worked out a problem they were having.

Carmel: Report of a woman living out of her car with a seven-year-old and a four-year-old child. Contacted child protective services to find her a place to stay but they could do nothing for her.

FRIDAY, APRIL 25

Pebble Beach: Verbal argument between a man and his sister. The argument did not become physical and both parties agreed to stay away from each other for the night.

Carmel: Report of noises in a woman's back yard. It was discovered that a raccoon was prowling the property.

SATURDAY, APRIL 26

Carmel Valley: Woman reports someone dumped trash onto and next to her property.

Carmel Valley: Woman reported a man removing a tree on her property. It was a civil problem.

First four months of 1997 driest on record

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

THE GLORIOUS spring weather we've been enjoying has also meant the absence of rainfall — always a concern here on the semi-arid Central Coast.

This spring was so dry that — according to Robert Renard, volunteer observer for National Weather Service climate station in Monterey — February, March and April, with just 79 hundredths of an inch of rain, were the driest they've been since weather records have been kept.

The winter of course was very wet — nearly nine inches of rain fell in January alone. And despite the nearly rainless spring, the total rainfall for the year stands at 21.36 inches, just above the average yearly total of 19.02 inches. This is the third year in a row during which we've had higher-than-average total rainfall.

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New planner to handle code-enforcement duties

■ Chip Rerig to an assume unenviable role

By TAMARA GRIPPI

AS IS the case for anyone starting a new job, the mild-mannered Chip Rerig wants to get settled in his new home, figure out his duties and establish a good rapport with the community.

Rerig, who comes to Carmel from San Luis Obispo, has only one permanent handicap: He has the unenviable task of being the code-enforcement officer in a town where regulation reigns.

For the first time since 1992, the Carmel Planning Department has a staff member charged specifically with tracking down code violations.

Rerig, who began his duties April 14, is technically a half-time code enforcer and half-time assistant planner. However, since the city had to put off enforcing many violations until they had a code officer, cleaning up any backlog will be his first priority. The Carmel Fire Department has been saddled with some of the more significant violations in the past years, such as the fire hazard of using indoor wiring on outdoor signs.

The department hopes that the new coordinator will spend more of his time educating than enforcing. "Most violations occur not with a willful intent, but rather on the basis of lack of knowledge that the code exists," said Senior Planner Rick Tooker.

Debby Alexander, executive director of the Carmel Business Association, believes that the new officer should be helpful in developing clear communication between the city and the business community.

"If they handle it (code violations) in a positive fashion, it ought to work out," Alexander said. She thinks that the new code officer should make people aware of their various options—including appealing for an exception— if they're not in com-

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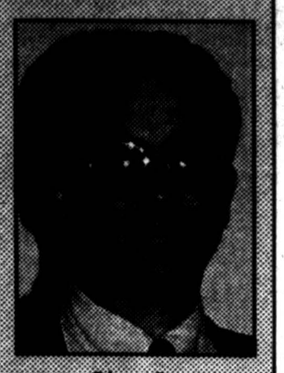
The Rerig File

■ **Name:** Chip Rerig

■ **Position:** Carmel assistant planner/code compliance coordinator

■ **Duties:** Design informational materials for business owners and residents. Drive and walk through the community checking for violations, responding to complaints and following up on complaints



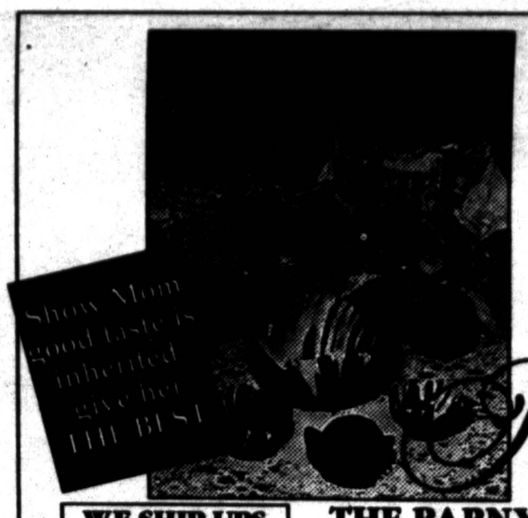
Chip Rerig

■ **Background:** Worked for the Nature Conservancy for six years, with a specialization in conservation easements and gifts of land.

■ **Education:** Master's degree in city and regional planning at Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo; two years of environmental studies at UC Santa Barbara.

He interned for the planning department of the City of Solvang.

He holds a bachelor's degree from Lycoming College, Williamsport, Pennsylvania..



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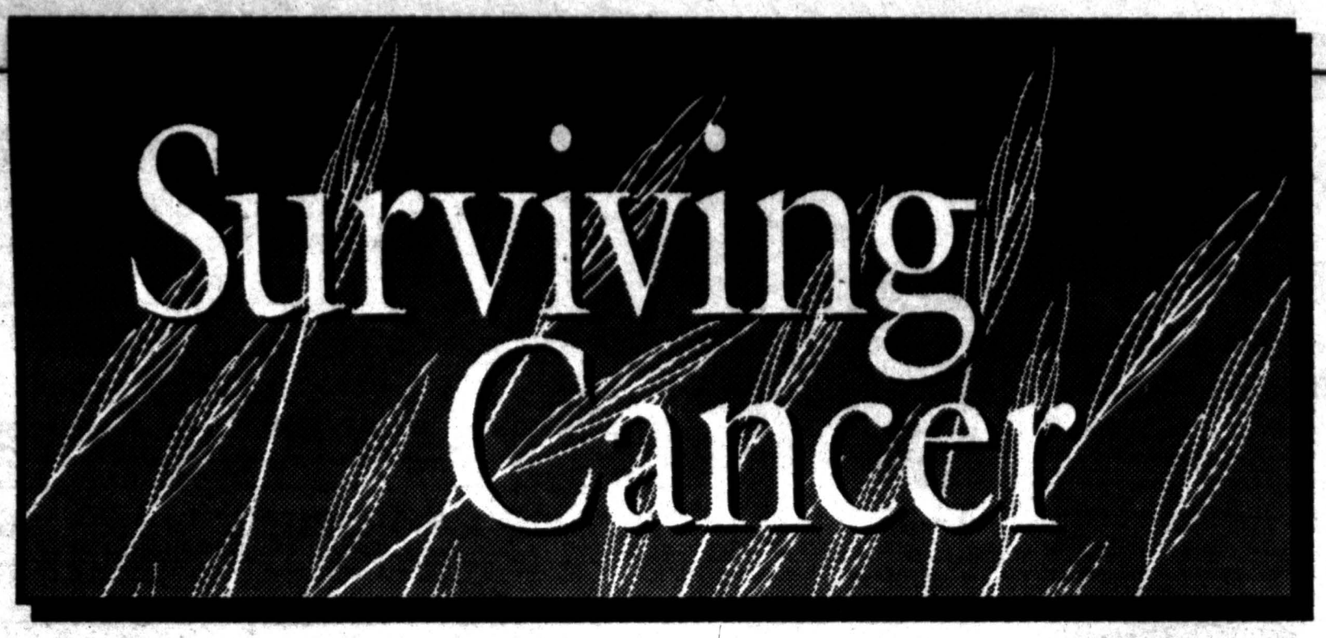

MAY CALENDAR

■ Cancer Concerns in the '90s

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Meet the Experts: Managing Cancer Symptoms
Panel members: Becky Korchek, RN
Mary Welschmeyer, RN
Cathy Linehan, RN

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Thursday, May 22 • 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. • Community Hospital, conference room C
Co-sponsored by the Comprehensive Cancer Center and the American Cancer Society

■ The Cancer Journey

This unique 10-week educational series is designed to teach people with cancer and their family members ways to cope with their illness and treatment.

May 7 **Nutrition and Cancer**
May 14 **Stress Reduction: Relaxation**
May 21 **Communication Skills: Journal Writing**
May 28 **Creative Arts and Healing**

■ Mark Your Calendar! Cancer Survivors' Day Picnic

Saturday, June 28 • 11:30 a.m. • Lake El Estero

■ Smoking Cessation Support Group

Facilitated by our *Stop Smoking* instructors, this regular meeting offers you the encouragement and support you need to quit your tobacco habit.
Every Friday • 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Community Hospital, classroom 1
Registration is not required. You may join at any time.

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The Cancer Wellness program brings the mind-body connection into your daily activities. Focus on your emotional, psychological, and educational needs. Cancer patients and support persons welcome.
Every Monday • 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.
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File No. F970686

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CINDY A. HARP, 484 B Washington St. #352, Monterey, Ca 93940
This business is conducted by sole proprietors.
(s) Lynn. L. Harp
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Publication dates: May 1, 8, 15, 22, 1997.
(PC500)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. F970840

The following persons are doing business as **AGAPE ADOPTION SERVICES, 1037 Hillside Ave., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.**
LORNA J. HOLTOM, 1037 Hillside Ave., Pacific Grove, Ca 93950.
This business is conducted by an individual.
(s) Lorna J. Holtom
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. F970689

The following person is doing business as **ST. NICK'S TREATS, 540 Capitol St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.**
KATHY M. REINOLT, 540 Capitol St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.
This business is conducted by an individual.
(s) Kathy Reinolt
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(PC513)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. F970867

The following person is doing business as **NORTH WING DESIGN, 701 Neeson Rd., Marina, Ca. 93933.**
KAMRON ALAN BLEVINS, 122 Cypress Grove Ct., Marina, Ca. 93933.
This business is conducted by an individual.
(s) Kamron Blevins
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(PC515)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. F970868

The following persons are doing business as **RIM TECH, RIM TECHNOLOGY, REAL IMAGE MULTIMEDIA TECHNOLOGY, 517 Fountain Ave., Ste. C. Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.**
PATRICK VAN BEUGE, 517 Fountain Ave., Ste. C, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.
CHRISTOPHER M. LIGHT, 5100 Coe Ave., #179 Seaside, Ca. 93955.
This business is conducted by a general partnership.
(s) Patrick Van Beuge
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(PC517)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. F970820

The following persons are doing business as **VINTAGE ANTIQUE WOODS, 26362 Carmel Rancho Lane, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**
RONALD S. GARGOTTO, 24716 Dolores, Carmel, California, 93923.
This business is conducted by an individual.
(s) Ronald S. Gargotto
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 21, 1997.
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(PC511)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. F970866

The following person is doing business as **HEAD PIN AWARDS & ENGRAVING, 1230 Fremont Blvd., Seaside, Ca. 93955.**
MICHAEL FRANK LUCIDO, 621 Irving Ave., Monterey, Ca. 93940.
This business is conducted by an individual.
(s) Michael Lucido
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(PC512)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. F970592

The following person is doing business as **P&L MOBILE AUTO REPAIR, 1 Bridge St., #7, Salinas, Ca. 93901.**
PEDRO REYES, 18623 Cleveland Ave., Salinas, Ca. 93906.
This business is conducted by an individual.
(s) Pedro Reyes
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 26, 1997.
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 21, 1997.
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(PC514)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. F970850

The following person is doing business as **CARMEL BP, 7 Carmel Center Place, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**
KAMBIZ AJIR, 204 Upper Walden, Carmel, Ca. 93923.
This business is conducted by an individual.
(s) Kambiz Ajir
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(PC516)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. F970858

The following persons are doing business as **BXI MONTEREY, BUSINESS EXCHANGE INTERNATIONAL, 857 Grove St., Monterey, Ca. 93940.**
HELGA BISCHOFF, 857 Grove St., Monterey, Ca. 93940.
STEVE BISCHOFF, 857 Grove St., Monterey, Ca. 93940.
This business is conducted by a husband and wife.
(s) Helga Bischoff
Steve Bischoff
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House Hunting? Ask a Pine Cone Real Estate advertiser for help — they know their business.

Hundreds of Asilomar workers may lose jobs at month's end

By KIRSTIE WILDE

MORE THAN 260 workers, both veteran employees and new hires, have been given termination notices at Asilomar Conference Center in Pacific Grove.

Carmel's Jean Grace, president of Asilomar Operating Corporation, confirmed that her group notified all Asilomar employees that they will lose their jobs May 31 when A.O.C. loses its contract with the State of California. Asilomar has been run by the non-profit group since the 1940's.

"I'm concerned about their benefits, like pensions and medical care," said Grace. "We have employees who have worked at Asilomar for 20, 30, even 35 years." She said details of their benefit package have yet to be worked out with the state.

The new for-profit corporation that is set to take over the conference center is Delaware North, out of Buffalo, New York. Rick Morissey is poised to take over as General Manager, as soon as the contract with the state is signed.

"We will be hiring a great many of the employees back," he told the Pine Cone, "as soon as they pass the drug and criminal background tests, and go through our interview process." Morissey has already made decisions about the 17 Asilomar management employees, and will inform them in personal meetings by 10:30 am today if they can stay on.

"Only a few employees declined to be drug tested," he said, "and they knew they could not keep their jobs without it."

The drug tests were done through DNA testing of hair samples. "It's a state-of-the-art test, " according to public information officer Brenda Follmer. "It can detect illegal drug use up to 90 days in the past. And it's impossible to fake."

Delaware North requires all new employees to pass background checks because some of their subsidiaries handle liquor licenses, gaming and parimutuel betting.

"Many states require drug and criminal background

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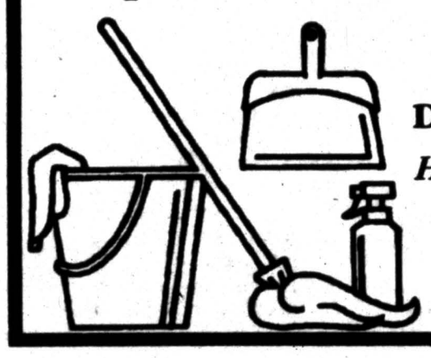

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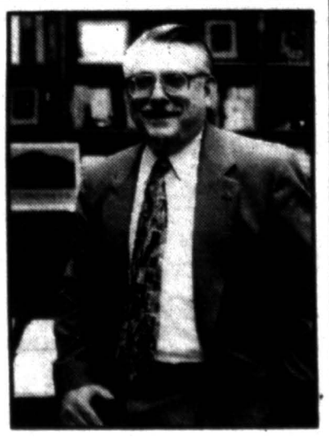

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WHITE:

From page 1

White's picks at Carmel City Hall, where the council chambers will be converted to a gallery.

"If someone is the mayor of Carmel — an art community — his choices must be good," commented Rob Pitzer, a gallery owner and chairman of this year's Carmel Art Festival.

White's characteristic sense of humor accompanied him on Friday's outing to dozens of galleries.

At one, the mayor's sensibilities appeared ruffled by a garish mix of paintings, but he let on only subtly: "It's not that I am not impressed. It's just that this is an art form my tastes haven't caught up with yet."

In another gallery, the mayor acted like a council member fed up with lengthy deliberations. "This one looks good. Let's just go with it."

White is aware of the subjective nature of the exercise, noting that his tastes run toward representational works, as opposed to abstract creations.

The Carmel Valley scene that struck him did so because it reminded him of another piece — a Mary Herrick Ross painting that he owns and keeps in his home.

White doesn't believe in permitting a lot of artistic

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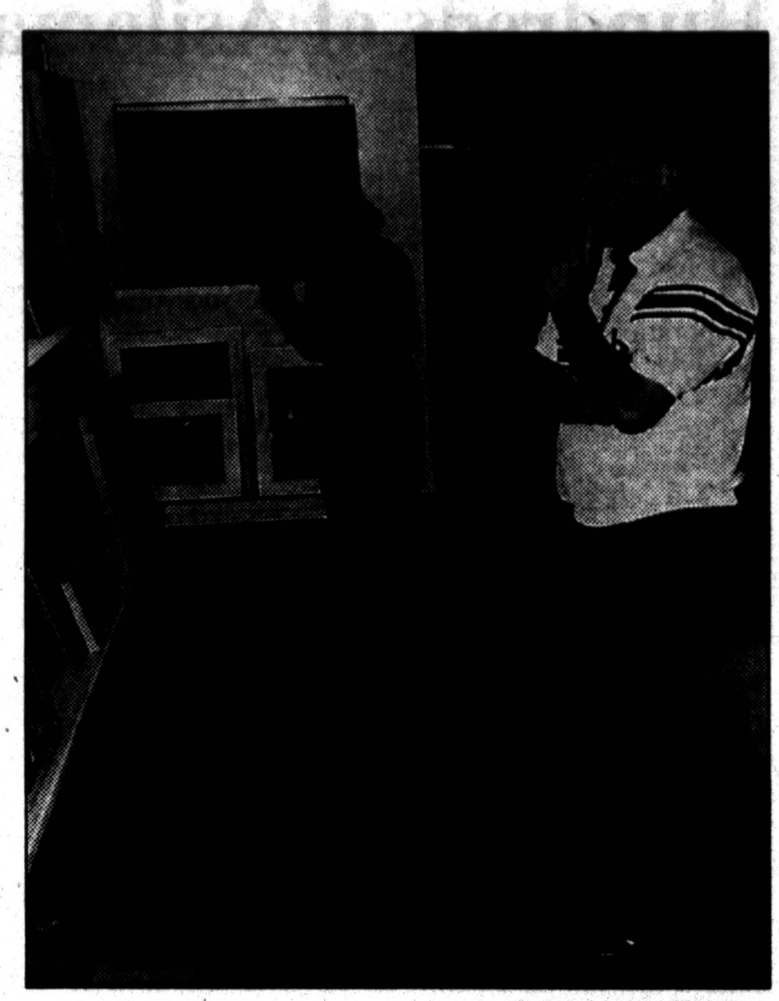

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White put much thought into his selections.

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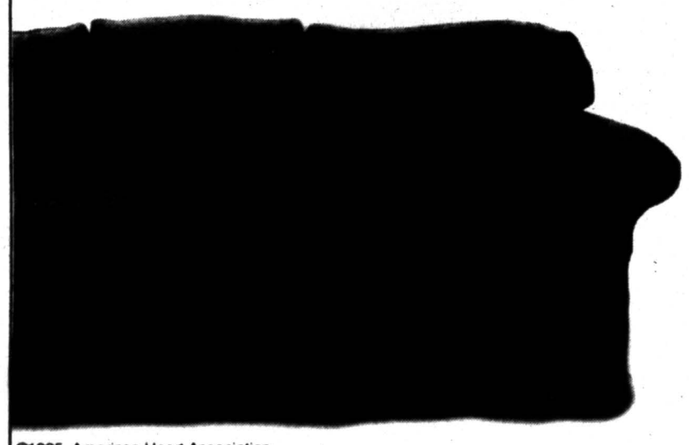

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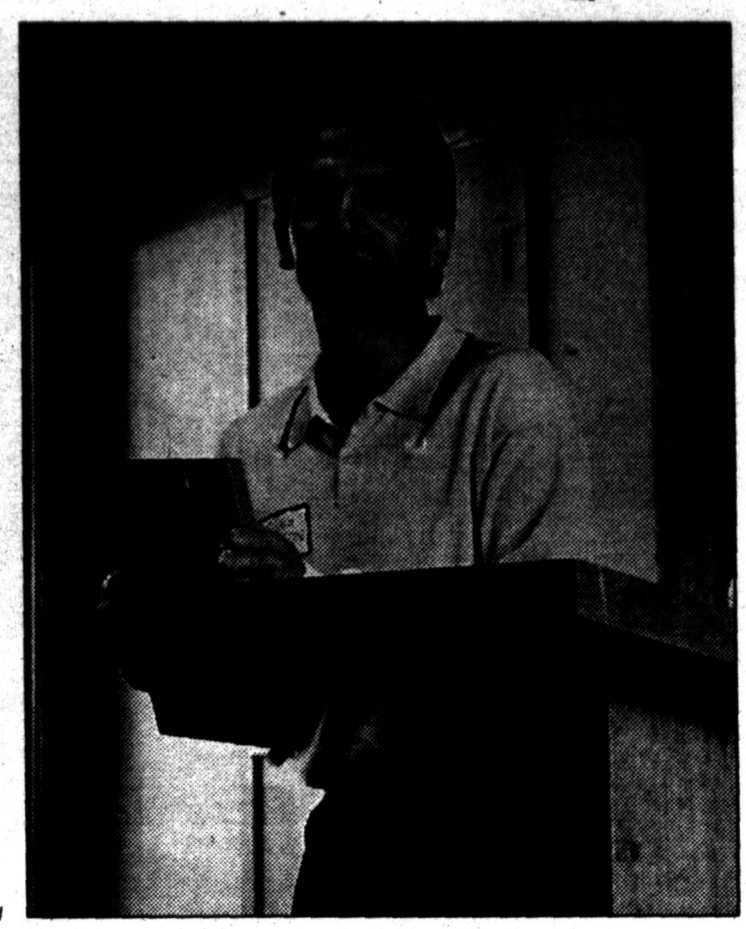

Doug Thompson, publisher of The Carmel Pine Cone until last month when the newspaper changed ownership, received a certificate of appreciation from the Carmel Residents Association at its April 24 meeting. Mary Condry, president of the CRA, thanked Thompson, who served as managing editor from February 1993 to October 1996, for "excellence in providing the public with unbiased news."

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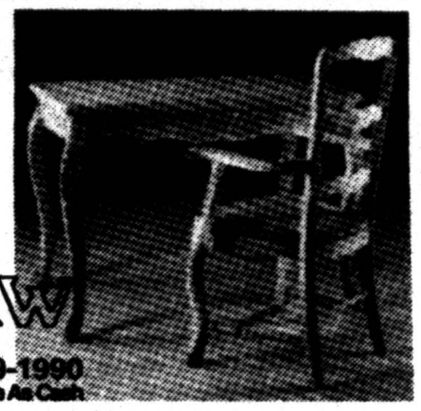

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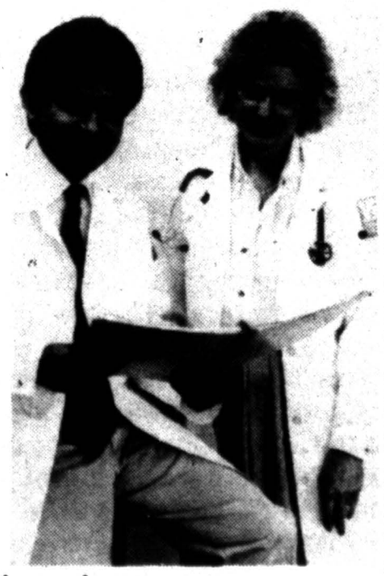

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No agenda item will be considered after 9:00 p.m. unless approved by a majority vote of the City Council. Any agenda items not considered at the Regular Meeting will be continued to a future date as determined by the City Council.

I. **Call to Order**
II. **Roll Call**
III. **Pledge of Allegiance**
(The Pledge of Allegiance will be led by Mayor White.)
IV. **Extraordinary Business**
A. Presentations of Certificates of Appreciation to the Carmel Music Society, the Carmel Art Association and the Harrison Memorial Library in honor their 70 continuous years of operation
B. Presentation of Certificate of Appreciation to Carmel High School's Senior class students for their contribution toward the maintenance and installation of new equipment at Forest Hill Park
C. Presentation by the Business District Advisory Committee on the results of the survey of the business landlords and tenants and special acknowledgments to James Perry, student intern.
V. **Announcements from Closed Session, from City Council Members and the City Administrator**
A. Announcements from Closed Session
B. Announcements from City Council representatives on outside agencies
C. Announcements from the City Administrator
VI. **Appearances**
VII. Consent Calendar
A. Approve the City Council minutes for the meetings of 1 and 3 April, 1997, copies having been distributed to members of the City Council
B. Ratify the bills paid for the month of April, copies having been distributed to members of the City Council.
C. Deny and refer claim for damages in an amount unknown — Gerald Klenck
D. Adopt Resolution No. 97-38 authorizing the transfer of an amount not to exceed $150,000 from the Benefit Liability Reserve Fund to the Benefit Liability Account to pay accrued holiday in-lieu and accrued compensatory time to Police Department employees
E. Adopt Resolution No. 97- 39 in support of the Monterey Regional Waste Management District Board of Directors' efforts to control illegal littering
F. Ratify appointments to the R-1 Design Traditions Steering Committee
G. Adopt Resolution No. 97-42 entering into an agreement with Professional Property Management Maintenance for restroom custodial services for a cost not to exceed $56,000
H. Adopt Resolution No. 97-43 authorizing an expenditure of $2,500 from the City Council's Discretionary Account to assist in the research of genetic resistance to pine pitch canker
I. Adopt Resolution No. 97-44 awarding the bid to Office Products Interiors in the amount of $8,824 for Sunset Center Administration modular work stations
J. Adopt Resolution No. 97-45 extending for two years the contract with Copies by the Sea for photocopying City documents for Fiscal Years 1997-98 and 1998-99
K. Adopt Resolution No. 97-46 extending for two years the contract with The Carmel Pine Cone for legal advertising for Fiscal Years 1997-98 and 1998-99
L. Authorize the Mayor to send a letter to the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District in opposition to a proposal to allocate 150 acre-feet of Pebble Beach Reclamation Project water
M. Adopt Resolution No. 97-41 renewing the Agreement with the Carmel/Carmel Valley/Big Sur Ambulance Authority (JPA) for housing of one ambulance and associated personnel
N. Consideration of Resolution No. 97-40 awarding a contract to Towill, Inc. in the amount of $77800 for the second phase of the Geographic Information System (Orthophoto Maps, Digital Data and Contour Intervals)
P. Ratify the nomination of the Laurel W. Whorf as the City's representative to the Bikeways Committee as recommended by the Community Activities and Recreation Commission

VIII. Public Hearings
None
IX. **Ordinances**
A..Consideration of Ordinance No. 97-05 authorizing an amendment to the contract between the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the Sea and the Board of Administration of the California Public Employees Retirement System City to provide Section 21382.5 (Fourth Level of 1959 Survivors Benefits) for local Miscellaneous members and local Safety members pursuant to the 1996-97 Memoranda of Understanding (2nd reading)
X. **Orders of Council**
A. Consideration of request of Mayor White and Council Member to reconsider Policy C95-06, "Short-term Private Use of Public Spaces, and Municipal Buildings, as it relates to the use of the Del Mar Parking Lot (Resolution No. 97-47)
B. Receive report from the Planning Director on the Planning Commission's decision to recommend that the First Murphy Park not be rezoned from R-1 (Residential) to P-2 (Parkland)
C. Receive report from the Director of Public Works on contract negotiations with Granite Construction related to grinding associated with the Ocean Avenue Paving Project
D. Receive a report from the Public Works Director on delays to the undergrounding work in Utility Districts 4 and 5 due to P.G.& E scheduling problems and provide direction
E. Receive report from the Director of the Department of Community Planning and Building on recent action taken by the Planning Commission regarding commercial walking tours and provide policy direction
F. Receive status report on year-end revenues for Fiscal Year 1996-97

XI. Resolutions
See the Consent Calendar and Orders of Council.

XII. Adjournment
The next meetings of the City Council will be:

Special Meeting
May 13, 1997
3:30 p.m.
Council Chambers

Special Meeting (Budget)
Thursday May 29, 1997
3:30 p.m.
Council Chambers

The Regular Meeting
Tuesday June 3, 1997

PHOTO/PAUL MILLER

David Carroll built his chicken coop along with his new home in Carmel Valley. Now the small structure and its fifteen feathered inhabitants are about to be evicted.

COOP: Tension, legal bills mount over Carmel Valley chicken coop

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Carroll says he was in the process of starting a new business in another city, and was gone for months at a time. He didn't comply with the order, he says, because he didn't think it was a big deal — the encroachment is only about 40 square feet out of the 1,012,770 square-foot conservation easement.

I still can't believe they are making such a big deal out of a few chickens."

— Dave Carroll
CV property owner.

"It only pokes ten feet into the 30-acre open space. I still can't believe they are making such a big deal out of a few chickens," says Carroll.

Lombardo provided to The Pine Cone an April 4 letter to Stamp. In it, he offered to move the chicken coop, or pay for a new survey of the boundary and trade them an equal amount of land to make up for the little piece under the chickens. He says the land trust refused. "They said tear down the structures, pay our legal bills, pay our staff time and replant the natural landscape, or else."

The "or else" came on April 16, when the Land Trust brought in Stamp, to file a lawsuit in Monterey County Superior Court.

Obstructing easement

The lawsuit charges the Carrolls with obstructing a conservation easement, breach of contract and trespassing. Lombardo was outraged, calling the lawsuit "a moral abuse of process." He says, "It's a disgusting way to blackmail people into a settlement, because nobody can afford to fight these battles in court."

Stamp denies that he is trying to bully the Carrolls. "I know how to play hardball, and this is softball. We sent a draft of the lawsuit to the Carrolls a week before we filed it, to give them a chance to comply. They ignored us, as they have for the past year. The statute of limitations was going to run out on the trespassing charge in two days. If we didn't file the lawsuit, we would have lost our right to sue," Stamp told the Pine Cone.

Steen says he regrets that the chicken coop controversy has escalated into a lawsuit.

"This is the first time we've ever filed a lawsuit over a conservation easement," he said.

"We monitor 18 of them in Big Sur and Carmel Valley and most of the landowners are very cooperative about protecting their open space. We can still solve this if Mr. Carroll will move his two structures, plant a few oak trees and pay our expenses," Steen said.

SPECIAL REPORT

The "expenses" are what rankle Carroll. He is worried that the legal bills run up by Leavy and Stamp will top $10,000. His sister, Pam Sheppard, has firsthand knowledge of how expensive a simple mistake can be, when lawyers get involved.

A few feet of her garage also jutted out of her "building envelope" because of a mistake on a map made of her property during the permit process.

Even though everybody agreed she was a victim of somebody else's mistake, she had to fight a demand by the land trust that she tear down the whole building because of a four-foot encroachment on her 20-acre open space.

'If we do nothing, we encourage others to illegally build on open space.'

— Zad Leavy,
land trust legal counsel

"That's why we hired Tony Lombardo," says Pam, " because no way were we going to remove a $150,000 structure."

She ended up having to pay for three surveys, redraw the conservation line, give up about 200 square feet of property, pay $1,500 for Steen's time, and pay $8,000 to attorneys Zad Leavy and Michael Stamp, an amount three times what she says her attorney billed.

Leavy says he believes that the Sheppard's encroachment was an honest mistake. But he also says the land trust must be zealous in its protection of open space.

"If we do nothing, we encourage others to illegally build on open space. If we fail to defend the conservation easement, we could lose our nonprofit status. We could jeopardize the deductibility of gifts that other people want to make to us. We really have no choice."

And about his fee? "Time was spent. We had run up a bill. We had to bring in outside counsel to draw up a complaint. Even processing the settlement was difficult. We didn't do this for fun."

ORD: Residents urge city to pursue 'urban reserve' for Fort Ord land

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enough for it," Livingston declared, noting that developers can pursue wells and desalination projects or finance the transport of water from out of the area.

FORA Executive Officer Michael Houlemard, who started the evening with a 45-minute overview of the reuse, told the council that water resources would be the "primary limiting factor" preventing the reuse from creating a community of larger than 37,000 residents and 18,342 permanent full-time jobs.

The only water so far secured for the reuse is the Army's historic 6,600 acre-feet, enough to last through the year 2015.

A procession of concerns

A procession of residents expressed concerns that the final plan, as written, would allow for a community of up to 71,000 people and 45,400 jobs should water and other public services be made available.

"There is no mechanism in the EIR to prevent the sale of land for which there is no infrastructure," said Debra Mickelson of the Fort Ord Study Group.

A spokesperson for the League of Women Voters of the Monterey Peninsula suggested that the reserve areas should be transferred to the Bureau of Land Management, the federal agency that will be responsible for the huge territory (75 percent of the Fort's 45 square-miles) already designated for habitat, open space and recreation.

> *'We can't do anything about their voting bloc, but we can vote no (on the final plan)'*
>
> **— Barbara Livingston**
> **Carmel councilwoman**

'Unrealistic'

In attendance Tuesday evening was Seaside Mayor Don Jordan, who said after the meeting that he respected the prevailing Carmel viewpoint but called the notion of an urban reserve "unrealistic."

"It might be more suitable for the county, but it is not for Seaside," he said, noting that $40 million will have to be invested within the city limits just to pay for the demolition of existing structures.

"Who's going to pay for that? No developer is going to. The city of Seaside can't pay."

Seaside, like Marina, has two votes on FORA to Carmel's one. Carmel officials recognize they are not calling the shots on the board.

"We can't do anything about their voting bloc, but we can vote no (on the final plan)," Livingston declared.

Carmel Mayor Ken White, the city's FORA representative, could not say how he will vote before he hears all the testimony before the FORA board.

Houlemard was encouraging, but noncommittal, on the question of a reserve. "We might be able to find ways of getting greater assurances about what happens on the land."

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license. For starters, he is a stickler for historic and scientific accuracy, dismissing some works as fanciful. For example, he was unhappy with one artist who included alpine flowers in a Big Sur seascape, and another artist whose modern wharfscape featured what looked like an 18th century vessel.

"These are documents of history," he said. "This is how we're supposed to know what things used to look like."

White doesn't merely consider the merits of a work, but its place in relation to others pieces he has chosen.

For example, White tagged the sculpture "Waiting at the Station," which depicts a young girl doing just that. The reason: He thought the bronze might make an appropriate "entry way piece" for people to see just before they view the paintings.

Because White is partial to local artists and local subjects, he selected three paintings from the current works displayed at the Carmel Art Association, which shows only Peninsula artists.

Pitzer and others say that the mayor's choices — no matter how subjective their selection might seem — are infused with great importance by both the community and visitors of Carmel. After all, once tagged, Mayor's Choice paintings have proven much more likely to sell, Pitzer reported.

"People see this as a reinforcement that somebody else likes the work," Pitzer said.

Should a painting sell, White will return to the gallery and make another selection for his exhibit.

The mayor joked about the presumed importance his own selections: "If someone would buy a painting because it is one of my choices, I would have to question their judgment."

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(PC449)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970624

The following person is doing business as **CUEVAS TIRE, 10161 Reese Clr., Salinas, Ca. 93902.**

SALVADOR CUEVAS, 407 Midway Ave., Salinas, Ca. 93905.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Salvador Cuevas

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4-1-97.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 26, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 1997.

(PC471)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970678

The following persons are doing business as **AERIAL IMAGES, 4th SW of 4th St. on Casanova, Carmel, 93923.**

WILLIAM REID CARMICHAEL, 4th SW of 4th St. on Casanova, Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Bill Carmichael

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4-2-97.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 2, 1997.

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970630

The following persons are doing business as **PACIFIC ENTERPRISES, 238 Dundee Dr., Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

JON DAVID SELBICKY, 238 Dundee Dr., Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

(s) Dawn Marie Selbicky

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3-27-97.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 27, 1997.

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

(PC431)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970765

The following persons are doing business as **PANINI-PANINI 515 Del Monte Shopping Center, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

FUAD BAHOU, 1001 Hellam St., Monterey, Ca. 93940.

DEBBY CORLEW, 1001 Hellam St., Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by a general partnership.

(s) Fuad Bahou

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on May 21, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 15, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 1997.

(PC474)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970697

The following person is doing business as **CENTRAL COAST MORTGAGE, 17832 Moro Rd., Prunedale, CA. 93907.**

PATRICK TIMOTHY HENNESSY, 17851 Northwood Place, Prunedale, Ca. 93907.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Patrick Hennessy

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/23/1992.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 4, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 1997.

(PC472)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970633

The following person is doing business as **GREENSCAPE SERVICES, 14 Spreckles Ln. Salinas, Ca. 93908.**

GREENSCAPE SERVICES, California, 14 Spreckles Ln., Salinas, Ca. 93908.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

(s) James N. Kemp

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on April 1, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 27, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 1997.

(PC469)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970688

The following persons are doing business as **THE BUTTONWILLOW, 231 S. Main St., Salinas ,Ca. 939091.**

SUSAN CARVEY, 106-13 W. Rossi St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.

SANDRA IMAN, 102-6 W. Rossi St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.

This business is conducted by a general partnership.

(s) Susan Carvey

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4/3/97.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 3, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 1997.

(PC470)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970676

The following persons are doing business as **COASTAL MARKETING SERVICES, 117 Hitchcock Rd., Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924.**

DEBORAH K. SHOEMAKER, 117 Hitchcock Rd., Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Deborah K. Shoemaker

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on April 1, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 1, 1997.

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

(PC430)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970716

The following persons are doing business as **AVANT & ASSOCIATES, 2948 Stevenson Dr., Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.**

LESTER J. AVANT, 2948 Stevenson Dr., Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.

DEANNE E. AVANT, 2948 Stevenson Dr., Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

(s) Lester J. Avant

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on May 27, 1976.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 8, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 1997.

(PC467)

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea will conduct a public hearing in the City Hall Council Chambers, located on the east side of Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenues, on 14 May 1997. The public hearing will be opened at **4:30 P.M.**, or as soon thereafter as possible.

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1. DS 96-52
Donna Dalton
NE corner Carmelo and 8th
Block N, portion of lots 18 and 20

Consideration of a Design Study application for a substantial alteration to an existing dwelling.

2. DS 96-50
Don McBride
E/s North Carmelo between 2nd & 4th
Block MM, Lots 30 & 32

Consideration of a Design Study application for construction of a new two-story residence in the R-1/AS District

3. DS 97-07/RS 97-02
Scott Green
W/s Carmelo between 7th and 8th
Block T, Lot 13

Consideration of applications for demolition of an existing dwelling and a Design Study of a new two-story residence in the R-1 District.

4. UP 97-09
Richard Parejo
c/o Scotter Wear
S/s Ocean between Mission and Junipero
Block 78, All lots

Consideration of a use permit authorizing a new business combining multiple, related items under a single theme including apparel, golf accessories, stationery, mugs, and other related otter merchandise.

5. Consideration of an ordinance regulating the review, installation and monitoring of wireless communication systems in all districts.

Dated: April 18, 1997

PLANNING COMMISSION
City of Carmel-by-the-Sea
Karen Worthington
Secretary of said Commission

Publication dates: May 1, 1997
(PC510)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970816

The following person is doing business as **VERANDA, 440 Romana AVe., #12, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

DEBRA JANE WANNER, 440 Ramona Ave. #12, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Debra Wanner

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4-21-97.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 18, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 1997.

(PC473)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970665

The following person is doing business as **TOWN AND COUNTRY RESIDENTIAL CARE, 27917 Berwick Dr., Carmel, Ca 93923.**

NANCY LYNN ROBERTS, 8594 Carmel Valley Rd., Carmel, Ca 93923.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Nancy Lynn Roberts

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 1, 1997.

Publication dates: May 1, 8, 15, 22, 1997.

(PC504)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970715

The following persons are doing business as **QUALITY MAINTENANCE, 49 Penzance St., Salinas, Ca. 93906.**

SCOTT JOHNSON, 49 Penzance St., Salinas, Ca. 93906.

WILLIAM W. RIDDLE, 552 Chardonnay Dr., Gonzales, Ca. 93926.

This business is conducted by a co-partners.

(s) William W. Riddle

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4-2-97.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 7, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8,15, 1997.

(PC457)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970772

The following persons are doing business as **AMERICAN TRUCK & TRAILER, 1054 A. Terven Ave., Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

ANTHONY WAYNE KONTOS, 1465 E. Alisal St., Salinas, Ca. 93905.

REBECCA R. KONTAS, 1465 E. Alisal ST., Salinas, Ca. 93905.

This business is conducted by husband and wife.

(s) Rebecca R. Kontos

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4/15/97.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 15, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 1997.

(PC459)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970648

The following persons are doing business as **COSTA PAINTING, 1025 Tweed Place, Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

CHRIS J. COSTA, 1025 Tweed Place, Seaside, Ca. 93955.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Chris John Costa

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 8/13/91.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 31, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 1997.

(PC460)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970473

The following person is doing business as **PACIFIC PET CARE SERVICES, 395 Del Monte Crt. #151, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

KELLY THOMAS PARKER, 350 Ramona St. #8, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Kelly Parker

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/10/97.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 7, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 1997.

(PC461)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970522

The following person is doing business as **PHOENIX CONSULTANTS, 25349 Flanders Dr., Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

RAYMOND S. CHING, 25349 Flanders Dr., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Raymond S. Ching

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on February 1, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 13, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 1997.

(PC462)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970616

The following person is doing business as **ONE LEFT HAULING, 130 Ford Road, Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924.**

LANCE C. WHEELER, 130 Ford Road, Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Lance Wheeler

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/97.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 26, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 1997.

(PC463)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970739

The following person is doing business as **LE SPA, Casa Dolores Suite F. (Dolores Avenue, Between 7th & 8th Streets) Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

MINNACH, INC. 9581 Redwood Court, Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

(s) Monique Houtave Paul

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/17/97.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 10, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 1997.

(PC464)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970651

The following persons are doing business as **WEST COAST COMMERCIAL, 327 Harrison Rd. Salinas, Ca. 93906.**

DAVID A. BROWN, 327 Harrison Rd., Salinas, Ca. 93906.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) David A. Brown

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4-15-97.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 31, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 1997.

(PC465)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970713

The following person is doing business as **HIDDEN GLEN, 24739 Guadalupe, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

MARK HYLES, 24739 Guadalupe, Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Mark Hyles

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/6/92.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 7, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 1997.

(PC466)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970739

The following person is doing business as **LE SPA, Casa Dolores Suite F. (Dolores Avenue, Between 7th & 8th Streets) Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

MINNACH, INC. 9581 Redwood Court, Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

(s) Monique Houtave Paul

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/17/97.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 10, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 1997.

(PC464)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970699

The following persons are doing business as **WEST COAST TRUSS COMPANY, 400 E. Market St., Salinas, Ca 93901.**

ERIC DAVID BARSTAD, 349 San Juan Dr., Salinas, Ca 93901.

DAVID W. SCHARTON, 1820 Elkhorn Rd., Castroville, Ca 95012.

This business is conducted by a limited liability company.

(s) Eric Barstad

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Publication dates: May 1, 8, 15, 22, 1997.

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File No.F970581

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David Lim

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(PC468)

Withdrawing plan, Wells Fargo to retain services

By TAMARA GRIPPI

AFTER LISTENING to the concerns of Mayor Ken White and Carmel citizens, the powers-that-be at Wells Fargo Bank decided to reverse their earlier decision to replace most of the tellers at the downtown branch with ATM machines.

White and others lauded the decision that was announced Tuesday, and wanted to personally thank C.E.O. Paul Hazen (who has just completed a home near Carmel Beach.) "For a major bank like Wells Fargo to reverse its decision is monumental," White said.

The controversy began nearly two weeks ago when city leaders and bank customers received a letter from Wells Fargo notifying them of impending changes at the San Carlos Street branch.

The bank planned to eliminate all bank tellers and leave only two workers to handle things like loan applications. Customers who wanted a smiling human face for their every day transactions would have had to go to the Wells Fargo branch at Highway 1 and Rio Road.

White and others called and wrote executives at Wells Fargo asking them to reconsider the changes, arguing that Carmel's large number of seniors depend upon a full-service bank within walking distance. "Moving services forces people to the mouth of the Valley," he said. "Some don't have transportation."

Two bank officials — a regional manager and a statewide manager — visited the branch last week and met with customers. "I couldn't handle all the questions myself," said Lesley Miller, Carmel branch manager and vice president.

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THE CITY of Carmel and Carmel Valley Racquet Club will hold a Tennis Play Day at 2:30 p.m., Wednesday, May 14 in Carmel Valley.

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More information: 626-1255.

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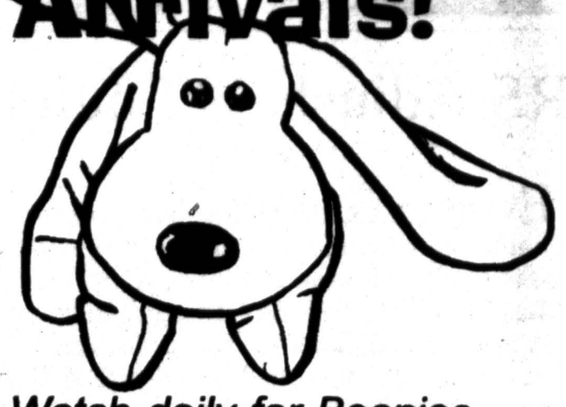
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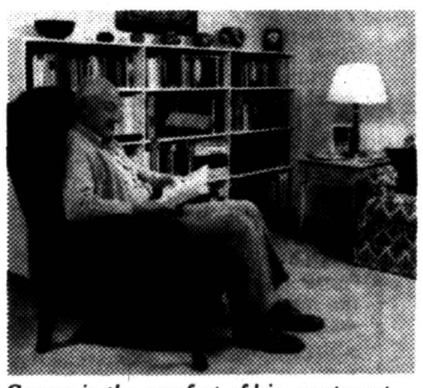
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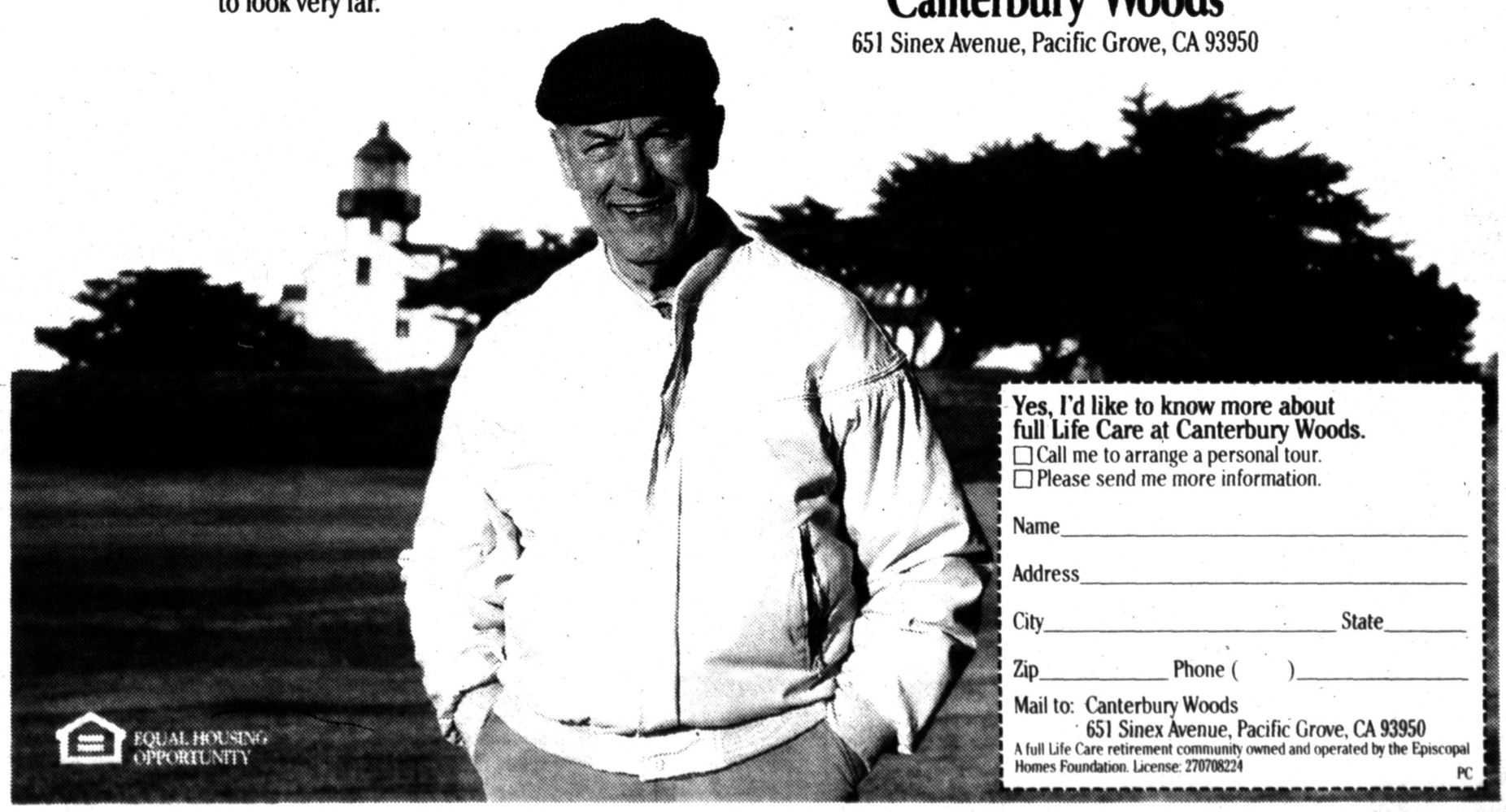
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Above the Bottom Line

By JAMES P. CALANDRA, CPA

IRS Adjusts '97 numbers

EVERY YEAR, the IRS adjusts certain tax numbers for inflation. Clip and save these 1997 numbers; you'll want to have them available for your 1997 tax planning.

Tax brackets — included the accompanying chart.

Personal exemptions — The deduction for each personal exemption increases in 1997 to $2,650 (phased out for taxpayers with higher incomes).

■ Standard deductions — The standard deductions for 1997 will be:

- Joint returns & surviving spouses $6,900
- Married filing separately 3,450
- Head of household 6,050
- Single 4,150

The standard deduction is increased by $800 for a married taxpayer age 65 or older or blind ($1,600 if both 65 and blind). It's increased by $1,000 for single taxpayers age 65 or older or blind ($2,000 if both 65 and blind).

Other adjustments — The amount of unearned income that children under the age of 14 may have before the "kiddie tax" kicks in remains at $1,300 for 1997.

The amount of income at which the 3 percent itemized deduction limit goes into effect in 1997 increases to $121,200 ($60,600 for marrieds filing separate returns). The maximum payment that can be made to a 401 (k) retirement plan in 1997 remains at $9,500. The mileage allowance for business travel in 1997 increases to 31.5 cents a mile. No change was made in the mileage rate for charitable driving (12 cents a mile) or in the mileage rate for medical and moving expense (10 cents a mile).

For the past 10 years, large pension payouts have been subject to a 15 percent penalty tax. For the next three years, this tax will be suspended. Taxpayers are rarely presented with such an attractive planning opportunity and the issues are seldom so complex.

In 1996, the 15 percent penalty tax applied to retirement plan payouts of more than $155,000 per year, and lump-sum distributions in excess of $775,000.

For example, say you received retirement income of $195,000 in 1996. Since this was $40,000 more than the threshold of $155,000, you would have paid a penalty of up to $6,000 ($40,000 x 15 percent), plus regular income tax of the entire amount. What happens if you receive the same payout through 1999? You'll still pay regular income tax, but the penalty will be waived.

The 15 percent penalty tax is scheduled to resume in 2000, so you might be tempted to withdraw as much as possible during this three-year window. In some cases, this will be a good strategy, but in other cases it could be a costly mistake.

As a very general rule, retirees over age 70 are most likely to benefit form accelerating their withdrawals. People with a relatively short life expectancy could also benefit, since there's an estate version of this penalty tax that isn't suspended. But many younger people will still be better off taking the minimum from their retirement plans and letting the balance grow tax-deferred, even if they end up paying the 15 percent tax down the road.

• Tax brackets: Brackets for 1997 are as follows:

Tax Rate	Single	Married (Joint)	Head of Household
15%	Up to 24,650	Up to 41,200	Up to 33,050
28%	24,651-59,750	41,201-99,600	33,051-85,350
31%	59,751-124,650	99,601-151,750	85,351-138,200
36%	124,651-271,050	151,751-271,050	138,201-271,050
39.6%	Over 271,050	Over 271,050	Over 271,050

The Golden Years

By Myles Williams

Older people find that younger family members often ask them to relate some favorite tale from family lore. Now there is a guide for organizing a collection of stories and traditions of the family. Titled "Family Folklore," the eight-page folder was prepared by Smithsonian Institution researchers and was published by the U.S. Government Printing Office. The booklet suggests kinds of information worth collecting, such as how parents or grandparents came to meet and marry, accounts of any unique "characters" in family history, and how family members fared during the Depression, wartime and other historic periods. Also, the booklet tells how to interview relatives, individually or at family gatherings.

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In Gloucester County, New Jersey, Monday night at 7:30 p.m. is reserved for watching a local cable TV program starring Josephine Musumechi, 89. The star of "Easy Cooking" shows how to prepare recipes using a few common ingredients. The idea for the show came from son Joseph, a businessman and amateur chef who functions as co-star, director and cameraman. Josephine's kitchen philosophy: "You cook and you learn. Sometimes it comes out good...When it doesn't you do it over again. That's how you learn.".

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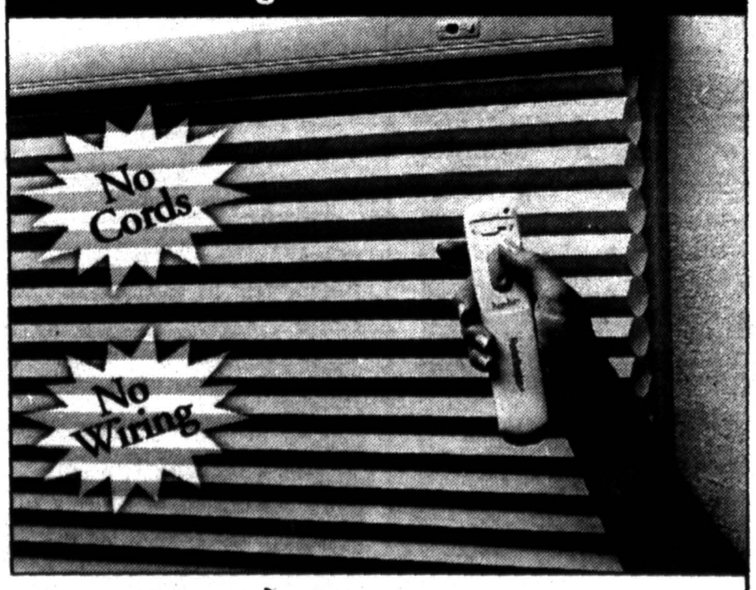

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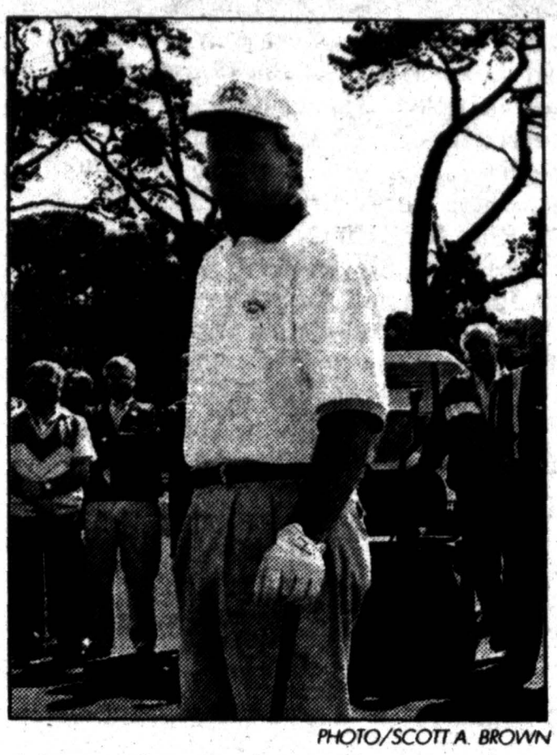

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Johnny Miller turned 50 at ODM Tuesday

The Old Del Turns 100

By BILL HOGAN
PINE CONE GOLF WRITER

ON A bright sunny day last week, Mark Brenneman paused for a moment to catch his breath. Outside his office were some carpenters finishing the remodeling of the Old Del Monte Golf Course pro shop and construction crews completing the beautiful new Del Monte Pavilion.

"It's been a lot of work, and we'll realize how important this is when it's all said and done," Brenneman said of the many long hours that have gone into the planning of centennial festivities.

Last Sunday began a week of events planned to celebrate the birthday of the oldest golf course west of the Mississippi River. Teams from around the world are in town for rounds. Festivities have included gala parties and a 50th birthday celebration Tuesday for Hall of Famer Johnny Miller.

"I love this old course," said Miller during a clinic he offered Tuesday morning. "No matter how many pros that are friends of mine come out to Old Del, they never seem to slay it."

When Old Del Monte opened in 1897, it received rave reviews. Scotsman John Lawson said, "These links are the finest in the world with many natural hazards and a course of natural turf." The San Francisco Chronicle reported on May 1, 1897 that "the work on the new links at Hotel Del Monte has been completed ... and are said to be very fine ones."

A book that will include stories on course visitors Bobby Jones, Walter Hagen, Clark Gable, Teddy Roosevelt, Charlie Chaplin, Andrew Carnegie, and others.

"We'll wait (to write the book) until after the festivities are completed so we can include photographs of the events," said Brenneman.

So prolific were the famous guests at Old Del Monte that the San Francisco Bulletin, in the wake of an appearance by Howard Hughes in 1927, wrote that "millionaires are becoming more common than golf balls at Old Del Monte."

Brenneman was a natural to assume responsibility for the centennial events. Having lived and played professionally in Scotland, he is a keen student of golf history. "How many golf professionals get the chance to plan a centennial?" said Brenneman. "I consider myself very fortunate."

Bill Hogan is president of Carmel-based Wide World of Golf, which has offered luxury golf vacations and consulting services since 1957. If you have information for Bill, give him a call at 624-6667. 'Hogan's Alley' appears every other week in The Pine Cone.

RACE AND GOLF

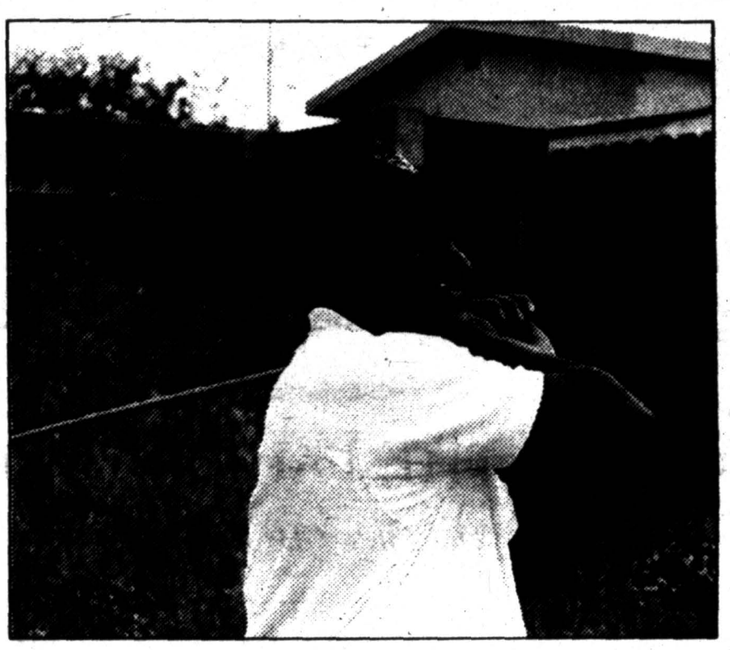
■ With charity tournament pending, NAACP president discusses the integration of golf

By SCOTT A. BROWN
PINE CONE SPORTS EDITOR

The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People will host its second annual benefit golf tournament at Rancho Canada East Golf Course May 17. Local NAACP president Joe Watson spoke with The Pine Cone's Scott Brown Tuesday.

Brown: *Is there any significance in the fact that a traditionally black organization is holding a golf tournament, a traditionally white event?*

Watson: None whatsoever. We are not doing so to make a political statement, but rather because it is an effective fundraiser. The NAACP has long viewed golf in its truest sense to be accessible to African-Americans. I've golfed for five years and played every course on the Peninsula except Cypress and never had a problem getting on the course or once I was playing. It is merely the pro tour and the country clubs that are in the dark ages.



PHOTO/SCOTT A. BROWN

Joe Watson says pro golfers fear having blacks on the tour because they may raise the level of play.

Brown: *Should, in your opinion, Cypress Point be made to accept an African-American member before it is allowed back in the AT&T course trinity with Spyglass and Pebble Beach?*

Watson: Yes, absolutely.

Brown: *Cypress says that they have no black members because none have applied, and that to admit a token black would be as bad as racism. Is there such a thing as tokenism in your mind?*

Watson: Yes, if its done against the credo of the organization. I don't want to be a part of Cypress if they still have a standing dislike of African-Americans.

Brown: *Is there a place for country clubs in the African-American community?*

Watson: Yes, but not in the homogenous form in which they exist today. We don't want our own "black clubs." We want to be part of the existing ones that cut a swath that is reflective of what you see every day culturally on the street. I'm a member at Rancho Canada.

Brown: *If a membership slot were given to a black person over a white person simply on the basis of color, would that be just? And is there a difference between the "basis of color" and the "merit of color"?*

Watson: It should be decided based on who has the most money, just like it always is. I don't agree with admitting people on the basis of color, yet I do think color has merit because it signifies a unique experience. Yet in a private organization, all must play by the rules of the organization so long as they are not biased.

Brown: *Were Fuzzy Zoeller's comments (in which he referred to Master's champion Tiger Woods as a "boy" and suggested he not serve fried chicken and collard greens at the Champion's dinner) reflective of pro golf in your estimation?*

Watson: Highly reflective. I think some of the pros are reluctant to have more blacks on the tour because they feel blacks would raise the level of play to a place where they could compete less effectively, which has been the case in many other sports. How many whites do you see on the Chicago Bulls or the Lakers?

Brown: *Is it in your estimation dangerous that a 21-year-old athlete (Woods), along with Michael Jordan, has become perhaps the most recognizable black figure in society by whites, as opposed to more seasoned leaders like (national NAACP president) Kweisi Mfume?*

Watson: Unfortunately, that's always been the way. But so long as Woods conducts himself in a professional fashion, as he's done to date, then it will be our advantage.

Brown: *To your thinking, have blacks long wanted to integrate golf, or has it become the next frontier—a tangible statement of purpose that is beyond the game itself?*

Watson: When Jackie Robinson integrated baseball, it precipitated Brown vs. Board of Education. It changed things for blacks systematically. Golf should have been one of those things. But golf could never be the same watershed mark that baseball was, largely because it is beloved by a smaller community than baseball. People resent golf for reasons beyond race that extend to economics and class.

Brown: *Has Woods changed the way in which blacks view themselves?*

Watson: No. Unfortunately, he may always be seen as something of an anomaly. If Tiger wants more blacks to play golf by beginning as early as he did, then he'll have to pay for it himself, because he's one of the few of us who can afford it. But I wouldn't say he's raised our esteem.

Brown: *Is Tiger Woods "as black" as you, who has a black mother and father?*

Watson: Yes, absolutely. If you are part black in this society, you are all black. That is a strain of thought perpetuated as much by, if not more by, African-Americans as well as whites.

Brown: *Have you come across members of the black community who would call Woods an Uncle Tom for playing a white man's game?*

Watson: God, no. We'll succeed by promoting one another, not holding each other back. Woods' winning the Master's was an accomplishment for the world.

■ Fuzzy's foot must taste like chicken

BY SCOTT A.BROWN
PINE CONE SPORTS EDITOR

YOU MAY have thought things changed April 13. A black man won The Masters at a golf course none of his brethren could have joined six years ago. He won a tournament whose founder once said, "As long as I'm alive, golfers will be white, and caddies will be black."

A local who witnessed the event might have driven home through the South, past the broken barns and gaunt citrus groves, and deemed them part of the past. Thoughts of African-American women bending in the fields, missing their children, could officially become memory.

FROM THE EDITOR

But words like those uttered by Fuzzy Zoeller, repeated so often they've become trite, let us know that dreams of a banished past may not come true. Golf, we think (and perhaps the world) still belongs to the blue bloods and panama-wearing dandies.

We know words like Zoeller's are wrong. We hear them and become upset like housepets thirty seconds before an earthquake. Our voices, full of anger, shake like fists in response.

What should golf do? How should Zoeller be punished? Having him repeat the same words in front of a packed house at the Apollo Theater springs to mind—an event would take its place in the comeuppance pantheon alongside an appearance by Mark Fuhrman before an Ebonics curriculum meeting.

Zoeller attempted to placate us with an apology that was as porous as alabaster and as authentic as Elvis's black belt. For all those who put forth such utterances and then declare themselves misunderstood, you'd think there were no racists in the world.

Thus, no progress is made because no one takes responsibility. Zoeller's greatest contribution to the game (and the world) would be to say that he is, in fact, racist.

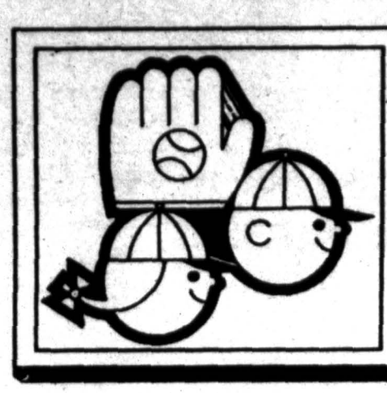
This is not to say he is wholly a bad human being. Rather, it simply is an admission that he has profited from an institution that would seem as immutable as gravity were it not a belief system that was taught. Society at large could learn from an otherwise beloved man who, not unlike his predecessors, has succumbed to a pervasive evil and will seek to correct it.

Until then, some whites go forward with their eyes shut. What Zoeller can teach us, however, is that every shut eye isn't asleep.

Athletes of the Week

Who: Ryan Travaille
Sport: Track and Field
Age: 18
Class: Senior
School: Carmel High
What he did: Travaille took four first place finishes in a meet against York and Gonzales Thursday. He won the 100 meter high hurdles in a time of 15.4 seconds, the 100 meter dash in 11.8 seconds, the 4X100 meter relay 45.2 seconds, and the long jump with a distance of 20 feet, 4 inches.

Who: Nicole Romero
Sport: Softball
Age: 15
Class: Freshman
School: RLS
What she did: Stevenson 2 games last week, but Romero was as dominant as she has been all year. She battled Pacific Grove's Gen Garcia for six shutout innings Friday before surrendering a solo home run in the seventh. Romero has averaged eight strikeouts per game and has been the winning pitcher in all five Stevenson victories this season. Romero also had three hits in the PG game.



Carmel Youth Baseball

By PAT LITTLE

Wehde knocks a homer for the Wizards

PINTO DIVISION (ages 7-8): RG Burgers (RG) and Caffe Napoli (CN) came together Tuesday for a mid-season game filled with solid hitting and fielding. **Jack Matchette** outran his line drive to first to get on for RG. CN's **Stephen Gueguen** and **Bentley Eidsmo** pounded out back-to-back doubles. **Katelyn Wood** pocketed a fly for RG ...

CN and Kid 'n' Around's (KA) contest Saturday saw **Tyler Webb** (CN) and **Mike Cain** (KA) get deep hits to centerfield. KA's **Brent Movson** and CN's **Christian Pepe** also had solid hits. CN shortstop **Corey Hanza** provided sparkling defense in the field ...

The crowd went wild on a fly ball catch by **Chris Moon** in a game between Moon's Kiwanis (KW) team and RG Burgers (RG). **Oliver Conway** (RG) also was a crowd pleaseer with his spectacular catch and throw to first for a double play. KW's **Keaton Bowley** hit a double, as did teammate John Kiely.

MUSTANG DIVISION (ages 9-10): Strong hitting helped Carmel Plaza (CP) maintain its early lead over ReMax (RM) to win 6-3 Tuesday. **Andrew Stocker** and **Ross Tiernan** both had RBI doubles for CP. **Gabe LaMothe's** single for CP and **Ben Holden's** single for RM also brought in runs. **Nicholas Santy** (CP) had a single and a double ... Allegro Pizza (AP) and Peppercorn (PC) played to a 9-9 tie Wednesday. **Russell Keene** (PC) hit a deep double down the right field line to score two runs and tie the game. Keen was 2-for-3 with another double and three RBIs. PC's **Jon Copsey** tripled. AP's **Erik Coover** doubled. The game featured great pitching by **Kyle Kretchmer** (PC) and Coover ...

Payless Drugs (PD) rallied for five runs in the bottom of the fifth inning to edge out Auger & Tarsitano (AT) 7-6 on Thursday. AT's **Ross McCafferty** singled, stole three bases and scored three times. **Steven Perry** (PD) hit a line drive double. **Phil Johnston** and **Amber Arnez** also had key hits for AT ... AT tallied 10 runs in the first two innings of its game with ReMax on Friday. AT's **Nicholas Pinkerton** made a terrific play on a line drive to first and also hit a double. Teammates **Troy Smith, Abby Stoffers,** and **Lewis Molinaro** also doubled. Travers Newell led RM with three base hits ...

Jon Copsey, who earlier hit a two-RBI triple, stole home to end the game between Carmel Plaza (CP) and Peppercorn (PC) on Saturday. PC won the game 8-7. CP's **Andrew Stocker** homered in the first. PC's Frankie Ortega stole two bases ...

Allegro Pizza's (AP) **Carter Motley** shut down Payless Drugs (PD) in the bottom of the seventh inning to preserve an 8-6 extra inning win Saturday. **Jeff Foudy, Max Bradley, and Will Gifford** had key base hits for AP. **Sean Geiger and Danny Kleinkopf** doubled.

GIRLS ROOKIE SOFTBALL (ages 8-9): Carmel's Wizards (WZ) defeated the Toro Park Rainbows 8-7 Friday. **Katherine Wehde** turned in a home run. Kristie Sanchez broke the final-inning 7-7 tie with a smash to center to score **Chloe Freeland**. **Larissa Lostrom** struck out 12 of the 13 batters she faced...Carmel's Neill Engineers Cougars (NE) lost to the Blackbirds Monday. **Katrina Blanton-Hubbard** had an RBI single, as did Kristina Kazansky...**Camille Wainscoat** scored twice for victorious WZ Monday. **Jaime Eisinger** also scored twice, and **Whitney Westbrook** had a solid hit.

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Why is it that Khaki's Men's Clothier intrigues the eye of tradition, of distinct taste, and of whimsical interest? Is it the flare of the design? Or possibly the expertise of the its people? Jim Ockert, proprietor of Khaki's has accepted the challenge that Carmel relentlessly requires from its businesses.

"It is not a store of brands, it is a store of style that exudes quality with a passion for wardrobe and design for each customer," says Ockert. Carmel insists on quality and comfort, with a special flavor. Jim has found it, demonstrating the knowledge, education, and experience that has branched from three generations of family retail history.

Six years ago, in front of a roaring fire, Jim sat with his father on a foggy Carmel evening talking about his plans for the beginning of the men's store of his dreams. His father, an amusing man was proud of his plans; but was confused with one issue. What was the name bout, and was it going to be a military store? Jim charmingly responded to his father that he had a marketing twist that would definitly appeal to the clothing enthusiast.

Ockert has proven what he thought true six years ago. With a measureless library of marketing and retailing books, that is steadfastly added to, Jim persists of being aware of the new. With just the right mix of the new and the traditional...much like Europe, Khaki's has designed a collection of menswear that is constantly fresh.

With the aspiration of a long relaxing weekend in mind, and a book in tow, you want clothing that you can wear to a day on the beach, a hike in Big Sur, or a casual evening at your favorite restaurant. You want to shop in a place that offers that same feeling...a soft breeze, relaxing sound, a comfortable ambiance...

Comfortable. You want to feel the difference in Khaki's. Among the euphony of Earl Klugh in the background, the garden setting on the other side of the glass, and the smile that braces your face when you see the proprietor sweeping the walkway...

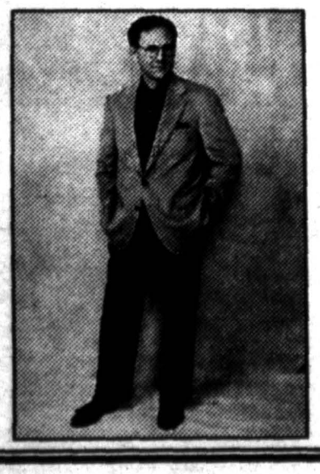
You know that little things mean a lot. So, does Ockert. Building off of what people have been looking for, Jim has expanded his shop in a market that has been downsizing. Quiet confidence is Khaki's style. They want to help people visualize themselves in exquisite taste. "Khaki's is the real haberdasher of clothing." said Harold Odum, vice president of Portola Investments (not to mention his 6' 7" frame). Odum continued on to mention that it is the old fashioned style of retailing coupled with expertise in men's clothing and fit that compels the window shopper to buy.

Jim Ockert has the nack to fit anyone, including Odum, which is hard to find in the clothing business. Custom clothing, a natural designer, Ockert designs the perfect suit not to mention the distinct window display. Countless travels through markets, antique stores, you name it finding the timeless trinket to complete the special flavor of each display...that is Khaki's style.

Don't succumb to the marketing frenzy of sales, but follow where your intuition leads you. Internationally, everyone comes to Carmel to relax, to shop, and to eat at the finest restaurants. Well, why not shop where the proprietor is your salesman? Where the passion is towards quality, difference, and comfort, not where there is no passion at all.

One store says it all. Jim learned that the hard way. After many years of running a chain of six stores with his wife, Connie, the Ockert's still dreamed of focusing on one great store. Following the sale of his shops, Ockert joined the Nordstrom team for the second time at their Seattle headquarters. Relocating his wife and two young children, Jim ensued his dream to own an unconventional men's clothing store.

Expanding on what he learned in his businesses and at Nordstrom's, Ockert utilized his knowledge from his experience, the multiform of books, and constant training from the best to assemble the greatest store in his eyes. Display, marketing, merchandising, and not to mention a keen eye for the unusual is not only what retailing is about, but what Jim is about.



Only a year later, he was transferred to the Stanford Nordstrom's, once again relocating his family of four. Finally establishing a home in California, the Ockert's soon saw what dad had in mind. His dream blossomed into what people may say is the unusual. Unusual in the fact that Ockert is still small town. Old fashioned. Courteous. He isn't rushed, uninformed, nor unsympathetic. He wants you to feel good in what you wear. Let the good times roll when you are shopping at Khaki's. Romp in wearing your custom tailored suit or your weekend thongs. It is all about customer service, and only a few has realized that.

Along with his wife and his excellent customer oriented staff, Jim has found what Carmel is looking for. You can trust whether it is leisure or formal Khaki's has it for you. Hey, Jim will even open his doors for you in the early morning or late evening. If you are hard to fit, you have got it made. Khaki's will not only appeal to your clothing style, but to your psyche. The crew at Khaki's knows that you believe that your greatest assets are not only what people see about you, but what you feel. Khaki's is located in the Barnyard.

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The Week That Was...

RLS golf score a record

By SCOTT A. BROWN
PINE CONE SPORTS EDITOR

THE CARMEL High baseball team jumped into a first-place tie with Palma by defeating rival Pacific Grove 7-6 in a heated matchup Wednesday. **Golden Anderson** threw six strong innings for the win, while icy freshman **Jesse Kovacs** slammed the door for the save. **Colter Bissell** homered for the Padres. On Friday, the Padres assembled 13 hits to defeat Gonzales 14-7. **JoJo Grewell**, **Tony Cain**, and **Robbie Shepner** homered for Carmel. Catcher **Brian Stream** was 2-for-2 with an RBI. Carmel is now 7-2 in the Mission Trail Athletic League ... Four Carmel High baseball players—Kovacs, **Dane Edmonson**, **Chris Paquin**, and **Jud Richards**—made the under-16 Junior Olympic team that will compete in Fort Meyers, Fla., June 19-30. For information on fundraising, call 644-0867.

Golden Anderson

In golf action, undefeated Stevenson continued to roll, winning the Harbor Invitational Wednesday. **David Addison** shot a 76, with **Oliver Rosen** turning in a 79. Stevenson went on to dominate the MTAL championships Monday, shooting a combined 365 that is believed to be the best in Northern California history by two strokes for a prep team. Addison shot a 71, **David Morgan** a 72, Eric Hebert a 72, Rosen a 74, and **Andy Hunter** a 76. Addison, Morgan, Rosen and Hunter were named to the All-MTAL team ... Carmel, meanwhile, defeated Santa Cruz 222-233 at Spanish Bay Wedneday. **Spencer Wilson** shot a 42, with **Neil Medeiros** turning in a 43 and **Chris Spifogel** a 44. Carmel then improved its record to 6-4 by defeating PG 199-203 at Pacific Grove Golf Course Thursday. **Michael Cohen** and **Anthony Kamm** had top scores for the Padres ... In swimming, the Stevenson girls lost to Notre Dame 122-60 Thursday. **Desiree Evans-Claassen** won the 50 free. **Rachel Charton** finished second in the 100 back. **Kimberly Smith** and **Kelsey McCallister** finished second and third in the 100 free. **Evans Dowlen** won the diving competition with a score of 164.2 ...The CHS girls swim team remained undefeated, defeating York 128-45 Friday. **Kersten Wehde** won the 200 IM and the 100 back. Her teams also won the 200 medley relay and the 400 free relay. **Anna Pecciante** won the 50 and 100 free events and was also a member of the winning relay teams. The Carmel boys remained undefeated, defeating York 125-36. **Craig Gonzales** won the 100 free and the 100 breast, and was on the victorious 200 medley relay team. **Brian Mahoney**, **Elliot Byrd** and **Sasha Vorobiov**. **Byrd** won the 200 free and **Chase Mahoney** won the 200 IM. **Eric Struve** won the 50 free...Stevenson remained undefeated in MTAL tennis action, defeating Alvarez 5-2 Friday. **Whit Champagne**, **Bernie Tong**, and **Dusty Rever-Ginsberg** won their singles matches for RLS. The Stevenson teams of **Raymond Miller** and **Ken Chin**, and **Adrian Hassan** and **Carl Rice** won their doubles matches. Stevenson lost 6-1 to Menlo in non-league action Monday. **Matt Chatham** was the lone RLS winner ... Palma beat Carmel Friday in Salinas to run the Padres tennis record to 9-3 in the MTAL. **David Bednarik** and **Jake Butts** were winners .

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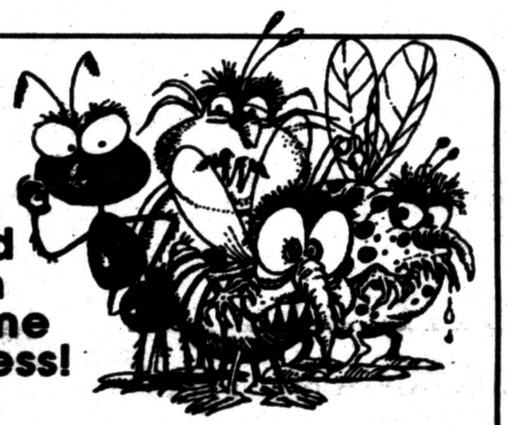

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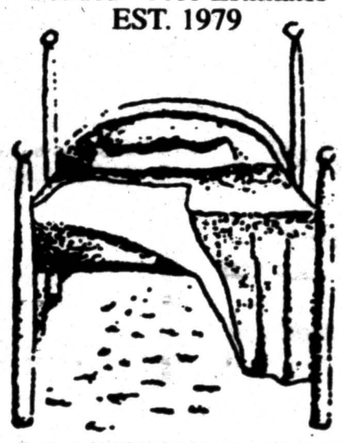

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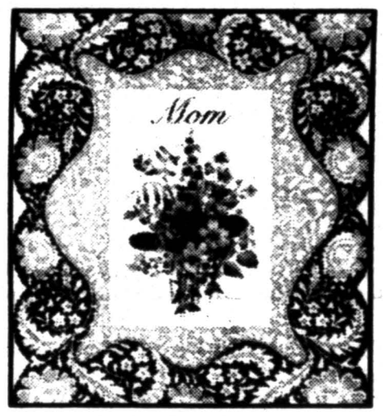

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Editorial

When the marijuana salesman comes to town

LAST NOVEMBER Monterey County voters joined the rest of their fellow Californians in approving Proposition 215, the Medical Use of Marijuana Initiative. The vote here was 61,000 in favor and only 42,000 opposed — that's an overwhelming majority by California standards.

What did the voters think they were approving? We believe most people who voted yes on Prop 215 did so out of sympathy for people whose suffering or other symptoms of illness could be relieved by marijuana. The voters didn't want sick people to fear arrest and prosecution just for trying to make their lives more comfortable, and the voters are to be commended for taking that stand.

There are, after all, perfectly valid medical uses for marijuana. Relief of nausea and vomiting, such as is often experienced by people undergoing chemotherapy, is one such use. Another use is to increase the appetite of someone whose illness or medical treatment regimen leaves them without normal feelings of hunger. A third use is to decrease pressure inside the eyeball — something directly beneficial to many people with glaucoma. The fact that marijuana can be misused is not a reason to discount its beneficial applications.

The same thing is true of many other prescription drugs that are potentially dangerous or which can be misused. Codeine and morphine are medically useful for pain relief and are available at practically every pharmacy. Obviously, in the wrong hands these kind of drugs can do great harm. But they are available nonetheless.

The public has decided it was ready to accept marijuana for medical uses. The problem is that after Prop 215 passed all of us saw images on our televisions of a pot parlor that opened up in the San Francisco area. To us, it looked more like a social club than a medical establishment.

Now, an organization called the Medical Marijuana Care Center says it wants to open a "clinic" in Salinas. Monterey City Manager Fred Meurer says his city has also received word that a medical marijuana facility may be opened there. Last week, the Salinas city council declared an emergency moratorium to give it time to come up with permanent regulations for medical marijuana clinics. Monterey will probably take the same step.

We think the people of Carmel should get ready to face this issue. Obviously, a city that abhors fast food and works overtime to limit the sale of T-shirts ought to take very seriously the possibility that a marijuana clinic might be opened somewhere in town.

To us, the simplest way to permit sale of marijuana for medical purposes is to make it available just like any other drug — in other words, by prescription from a pharmacy. If for some reason Prop 215 makes it impossible to regulate marijuana sales in that way, then the city's mighty zoning powers — so often used to limit or frustrate the ambitions of business owners or would-be home builders — should be used to properly control marijuana sales in Carmel.

Letters to the Editor

Letters should not exceed 350 words and are subject to editing. Letters must be typed and include name, address, telephone number and signature. Those that have previously appeared in other publications will be given last priority.

Trapped by Marathon

Dear Editor:

Being trapped in one's own neighborhood and unable to attend one's place of worship in America is unheard of!

Realizing how important the Big Sur Marathon is to our community, I have supported it for as long as I have lived here. But now that I am living in Carmel Meadows off Highway One, I cannot believe the residents of that neighborhood are TRAPPED on the morning of the Marathon. My parents have lived in the neighborhood for twenty-two years and have lived with this inconvenience since the inception of this event. For the last several years the neighborhood has been personally notified of the time that they could escape, but this year no efforts of communication were made.

The first car in line was told 10:00 AM was the time to escape and the rest of us read that we were to be there exactly at 10:28 AM. Well, at 11:00 AM we all were still waiting to get out and go to our places of worship. At 10:40 I went up to ask the uniformed officer that was stationed at the entrance at Carmel Meadows what time we could get out and he informed me probably 10 to 15 minutes. I explained to him that several of us had read that we could get out at 10:28 and that it was absurd that we were having to wait, that this neighborhood should get together and complain. He said, "Lady, I don't really care. I could be at home in bed."

I hope that this matter will be corrected. I would hate to personally go door to door in Carmel Meadows and ask that all neighbors sign a petition to see that being trapped does not happen again. I will also ask my minister and other neighbors to ask their ministers to write letters to see that this is corrected.

Mrs. M. McKee, *Carmel*

Charity Deserves Thanks

Dear Editor:

I'm pleased to see your April 24 article on local businesses helping local non-profits. As a member of the Board of the non-profit Friends of Monterey County Wildlife, an auxiliary of the SPCA, I'm glad to see our local business community getting some much-needed publicity about how much they do for us all.

Our group holds a major fund-raiser every fall; we have a fine response to our request for items for our silent auction. Without the goodness of our local merchants, our group would not be able to support the SPCA's Wildlife Center to the level we are able.

I've often said our donors need even more recognition than we are able to give them for their generosity. I hope lots of people read your article and consider the huge commitment local businesses make to our community.

Thanks for running the article and a huge thank you to all the businesses that continue to support the many fine causes on the Monterey Peninsula.

Konny Gloy, *Carmel Valley*

Lee on Water

Dear Editor:

Ed Anton, division chief of water rights for the California State Water Resources Control Board, made it clear in his February letter that the state board intends to enforce Order 95-10 requiring Cal-Am to reduce diversion from the Carmel River by nearly 11,000 acre feet of water.

The letter stated "Cal-Am (and the community) will be required to comply with the Order . . . ." The order stated that diversion should be reduced 20 percent by October of this year.

Water board members are the elected representatives of the community cited. They should work closely with Cal-Am to achieve the required cutback in demand.

I suggest the following action:

1. District staff should calculate the total demand required to meet the state board's requirement by October. Publish that number and the derivative reduced per capita consumption on May 1 and biweekly thereafter. Hotels would, of course, need a per room reduction and restaurants a per chair reduction.

2. Notify water users that if and when it becomes apparent that the voluntary guidelines will not accomplish the goal, mandatory rationing will be imposed in August.

As the lawyers say, time is of the essence. The sooner we know what we have to do the easier it will be for us.

Ed Lee, *Carmel*

A painful realization

Dear Editor:

Carmel was one of the most magical places in America, and I've been to all 50 states and many other countries. The rare, successful merging of human creativity and nature's wonders created a peaceful, spiritual, joyous moment in time for every tourist, and certainly for most long-term residents.

A majority of the City Fathers, in all their lack of wisdom, have severely cluttered the beautiful majesty of Carmel's unique vision. Now, they are pushing to utterly destroy it.

How many more impersonal formula chain stores will it take to make Carmel into a duplicate of every other tourist trap in the world?

It may be true that, in the short-run, business has improved. But the cost is much too high and irreparable.

How much gold are residents and entrepreneurs willing to sell out their home and their souls for? This is a very serious question, because I, and a million others, deeply love Carmel.

I planned to live the second half of my life in Carmel, but soon it will be too painfully ugly to even visit.

Ron Norman, *Los Angeles*

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Inconveniences of Lighthouse Curve Project coming to end

By JERRY STEWART

AFTER NEARLY five months of continuous construction, congestion and detours for Peninsula residents, the Lighthouse Curve project in Monterey is nearly completed.

The primary goal of the project, which began Jan. 7, was to make the curve after the tunnel less extreme, and create a safer lane for traffic merging onto Lighthouse from Pacific Avenue, according to Monterey Public Works Director Bill Reichmuth. Other factors were beautification and the improvement of harbor views.

"All that's left to do is just odds and ends," said Reichmuth, who expects to finish installing streetlights and landscaping around the rocks in the center median by next week. "We are happy with the results."

"The compound curve was much more dangerous," said Reichmuth. "Drivers had to tighten up on the steering wheel because they would be fooled by the ongoing curve. It was especially dangerous for drivers who were going too fast or driving under the influence of alcohol."

Monterey City Engineer Tom Reeves said that the location has been one of the worst traffic areas for accidents.

ASILOMAR: Hundreds of workers may lose their jobs at the end of

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checks, so we require them in all our operations." Management hires go through even more rigorous checks, including their credit history, educational background and job references, according to Morissey.

Readers may remember the scandal that rocked Asilomar back in 1993, when its controller, Skip Perkins, was investigated for embezzling at least $150,000 from the conference center.

He is in now in prison, but his crime and the bad publicity soon spelled the end of Asilomar Operating Corp.'s decades of control over the conference center.

"The mess was very tough on employee morale," said Jean Grace. "My hat is off to the workers who weathered the scandal," added Morissey.

"Of course they are jittery as we go through the rehiring process. Their jobs have been a question mark for years. We appreciate the fact that their hard work has kept conference guests happy through it all."

Asilomar takes in about $14 million a year.

Morissey says that the background and drug test information is being reviewed by Delaware North management in Buffalo, and that letters informing the 250 hourly workers about their future with the new company will be going out, starting next week.

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lated areas of the valley and neighboring communities.

On Sunday afternoon, Mark Clements of Pacific Grove was hiking in Jack's Peak Park with his 5-year-old son, Kevin, and 5-year old Eli Miller when they were startled by a lion just 100 feet away. "I put my arms around the boys and said we should just stick close together," said Clements. The lion retreated into the brush after Clements threw a few small stones in the lion's direction. Since mountain lions are nocturnal, they are not usually encountered during the day.

A few weeks ago, Rita Patterson, a teacher at All Saints' School, encountered a lion in her driveway off Schulte Road on the south side of Carmel Valley Road. The lion was dragging a freshly-killed deer and dropped it — blocking the driveway — when Patterson approached in her car. The deer was so large that Patterson couldn't drag it out of the driveway. "The big cat was obviously very strong. And one of the most beautiful animals I've ever seen," said Patterson. Later that night the deer was suddenly removed, presumably by the lion who returned to claim his kill.

And Tom Mangold said it was "thrilling and amazing" when he recently saw a mountain lion at the entrance to his Carmel neighborhood — off High Meadow Road at the top of Hatton Canyon.

Wildlife officials point out that Carmel Valley is "ideal" mountain lion habitat. A male lion will have a range of up to 100 square miles and could be encountered almost anywhere.

Fish and Game Warden John Ewald has had reports of mountain lions in Asilomar, and one was run over by a car on Skyline Drive in Monterey last fall.

Ewald says to protect yourself and your children, you should follow these rules if you run into a lion: Do not run. A lion's instinct is to chase anything that moves. Stand and face the animal. Carry a police whistle or small air horn when you jog so you can make as much noise as you can. Make yourself look as tall and wide as you can by raising your arms or opening your jacket. Even though it feels awkward, you should pick up your children without bending or crouching down, and walk backwards while shouting. If you encounter a cub, assume the mother is nearby and leave it alone.

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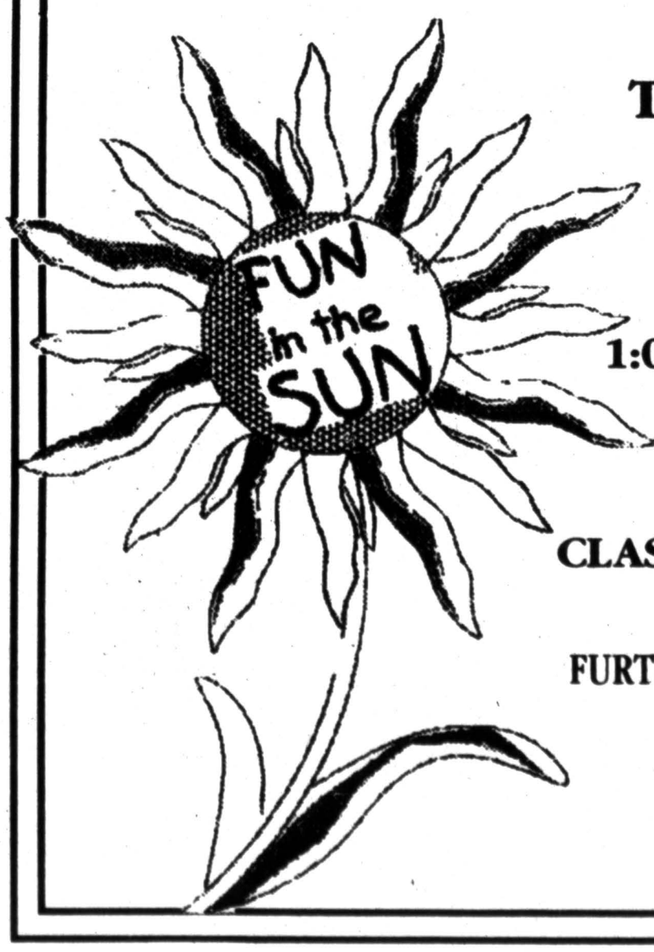
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District, teachers agree on pay increase

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

AT THE April 10 meeting, the Carmel Unified School District approved an agreement with the Association of Carmel Teachers for a 2.7 percent salary increase.

The one-year contract, retroactive to July 1, 1996, reflects the cost of living increases of the California Consumer Price Index (CPI).

The agreement also includes a one-time bonus of $150 per teacher.

OFFICER

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pliance with the city's code.

The highest priority for the city will be health and safety violations, such as improper lighting or hazardous wiring. A handful of such violations now exist, according to Tooker.

Of secondary importance are violations which relate to zoning, including illegal commercial signs and illegal restaurant and retail uses. In this category a large number of violations — more than can be followed up on — exist, Tooker said.

Since the department lost its code officer in 1992, the staff has only been able to respond to violations on a complaint basis. Often, people feel as though if they are being singled out.

Now enforcement will be more consistent and not based solely on complaints. While the new code coordinator may use citations, they will only be given out as a last resort, according to Tooker.

Village to village

Rerig, who held a similiar post in Solvang, Calif., brings the unique experience of that town to his new job in Carmel. Both cities were founded 80 years ago, are tourist towns and have small populations (Carmel at 4,500, Solvang at 6,500).

But according to Rerig, that is where the similarities end. "Carmel has done a much better job of protecting its architectural integrity," Rerig said.

Solvang, which preserves the look of a 17th century Scandinavian village, has become somewhat of a "Danish Disneyland," according to Rerig. The southern California town is also more permissive than Carmel in allowing balloons, banners and free-standing signs, he said.

"I'm really enthused to be in a community that values its unique qualities so highly and tries to protect them," he said. Rerig is about to receive his master's degree in city and regional planning from Cal Poly San Luis Obispo

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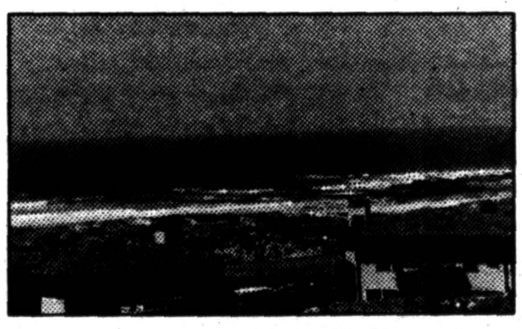

OCEAN VIEW TOWNHOME! Resort living at its finest in this Spanish Bay townhouse. Generous living room with fireplace, custom bookshelves and sound system. This unit has designer touches throughout. There's a library/den on the main level plus a 4th bathroom. Elegant master suite is large and there are 2 generous sized guest suites. Big ocean views are seen from the upstairs. $1,790,000.

ABOVE THE LODGE! A gracious Monterey Colonial residence on a .75 acre site. Designed with European flair in rugged stone & bursting with charm, there are wisteria-covered balconies, arched doorways and stone patios. Master bedroom suite has natural stone spa room. Library, fabulous game room with antique pub bar, 18 x 18 studio/office with bath and more. Some 5700 sq. ft. with 5 bedrooms & 6-1/2 baths. A gate-guarded treasure. $2,400,000.

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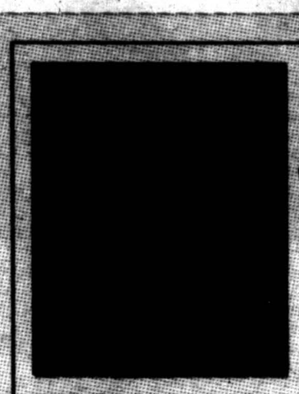

Joe Fitzpatrick

At last a real solution to the Fort Ord dilemma

LET'S face it, the Fort Ord thing isn't working.

We mean the attempts by FORA (Fort Ord Reuse Authority) to work out an agreement on what should be done with the land out there, now that the Army has left.

MARINA, Seaside, Del Rey Oaks and Sand City want to see it developed every which way but loose!

It doesn't matter to them whether pickle factories go in there, or oil refineries, chemical warfare plants, or creative sludge industries as long as they yield big-time tax revenues to the coffers of the four ambitious municipalities.

AND as for population buildout, they figure the more the merrier! Why stop at 80,000 if you can squeeze in 200,000?

On the other hand, however, Monterey, Carmel and Pacific Grove are deeply concerned about the destruction of the QUALITY of life on the Peninsula if the quartet of big thinkers has its way.

IT is an impasse, a dilemma. Or, as Sir Winston Churchill said — "It is a riddle wrapped in a mystery inside an enigma."

(We should note here that Churchill was not talking about Fort Ord at the time, but rather about "The English Patient." Yet, his words apply perfectly to the Fort Ord situation, as well.)

IN times of strife, such as these, the Monterey Peninsula is fortunate, indeed, to be able to resort to some of the greatest minds of our times to lead us out of the quandary.

One of these minds is that of Carmel Valley's redoubtable **Jill Margaret Brown** — and not surprisingly, she has a brilliant solution!

"AS we all know," she began, "this whole ugly situation began when the U.S. Army moved out. But that needn't be the end of the world.

"What did other areas — like Baltimore, St. Louis and Oakland — do when faced with grave adversity, such as having their NFL teams move out on them? They went out and got new teams!

"OUR solution is clear then," she said with the look of eagles, "we've got to go out and get us a new army!"

J.M.B. was rolling now, and I could tell by the fire in her voice that there'd be no stopping her soon.

"WE could put together a package and try to lure, say, the French army," she went on. "Or the Canadian. Or the Mexican. Or how about the Swiss army?

"Whomever we get, we'll probably have to pay off their general about $500 million or so (I could tell she was thinking of Oakland's case here), put in luxury boxes around the parade grounds, and guarantee sellout crowds at all their invasions!

"BUT isn't it worth it to get the Peninsula back

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PRIVATE GARDENS AND HOMES WELCOME VISITORS FOR BENEFIT OF PICCADILLY PARK

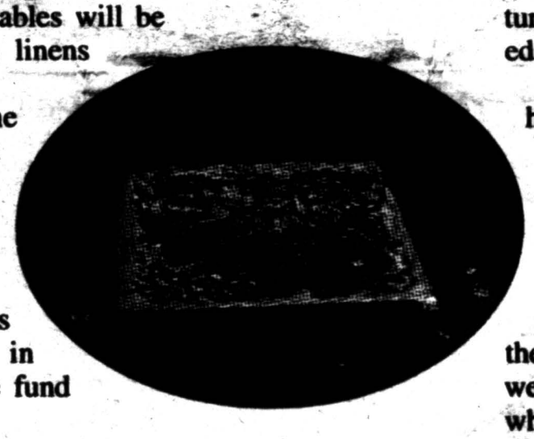
By MARGOT PETIT NICHOLS

EVER HAD the urge to peek over a garden wall to see what secrets it hides? The gardens of Carmel's private homes are frequently hidden behind such walls or tucked away at the back of a house, out of sight to passersby.

This Sunday, the Carmel-by-the-Sea Garden Club will be unlatching garden gates from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. for a self-guided tour of seven private gardens and homes as a fund raiser for the club's Piccadilly Park restoration project.

Cascading wisteria, koi in a lily pad pond, the tracery of espaliered trees across a garden wall, and statuary and metal sculptures enhancing colorful flower beds and shady nooks: These are only some of the sights awaiting those who purchase $20 ticket maps at Piccadilly Park, Dolores between Ocean and Seventh, from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday.

Most homes on the garden tour will be open to the public also, and will be decorated with cut flowers and formal arrangements, and tables will be made inviting with linens and table settings.



Nancy John, the club's president who also chairs the garden tour, says the entire membership of 56 women and their spouses have had a hand in preparations for the fund raiser.

"Helping to save Piccadilly Park for the public and planning its restoration is close to our hearts," John says. "It has been a labor of love and a joy for all of us."

The club, which has been in existence for 18 years, has devoted a great deal of time and effort to the Piccadilly Park concept. In 1980 it made a concerted effort to keep the city-owned property from being sold after the privately owned Piccadilly Nursery ceased operation on the site the previous year.

"We were dead serious," John says of the membership's determination, and after two years of perseverance, the club was instrumental in establishing Piccadilly Park on busy downtown Dolores Street as "a garden oasis used by both tourists and residents as a place to relax."

Early last year, the city entertained a proposal to permit commercial development of the site.

"The Garden Club again came forward to help retain the park as open space," John said. And again it was successful. On April first, the club received approval from the city council to "not only to renovate the park, but to rebuild it from scratch and to give ongoing support and hands-on planting."

John says that Carol Stratton, one of the club's founders, "was absolutely tenacious through the years, along with Carole Poole, Margaret Graham, Lee von Hasseln, and members of the club's civic committee, in attending all the city meetings and following up with information that was asked of them."

The Garden Club retained San Francisco landscape architect Walter V. Guthrie to design and draw up plans for the new park. The property will be bulldozed and leveled, "while retaining the small pine and the large oak," John is quick to point out. A watering system will be installed, and the present benches, seats and waste receptacles will be redistributed.

"Paths will be wide enough for wheelchair access and will be made of the same interlocking stone that is now in the forecourt," John said, "and there will be a water feature of some sort." Chess tables have also been suggested.

PHOTOGRAPHS/CHRISTOPHER HULSE

The gardens and home of Nancy and Paul John are among those featured during Sunday's tour. Nancy John is president of the sponsoring organization for the benefit, the Carmel-by-the-Sea Garden Club.

Because the present park is somewhat overgrown and has been allowed to deteriorate in the back area, John says the city has budgeted for maintenance of the new park and that the Garden Club will be responsible for seasonal color change plantings four times a year. She says the club will "keep an eagle eye on the park and maintain a hands-on approach."

Landscape architect Guthrie is currently reworking the original plans, deleting steps in the back area which were to have lead to a passthrough from Lincoln, but which are no longer possible. When the new plan is complete, the project will go out to bid.

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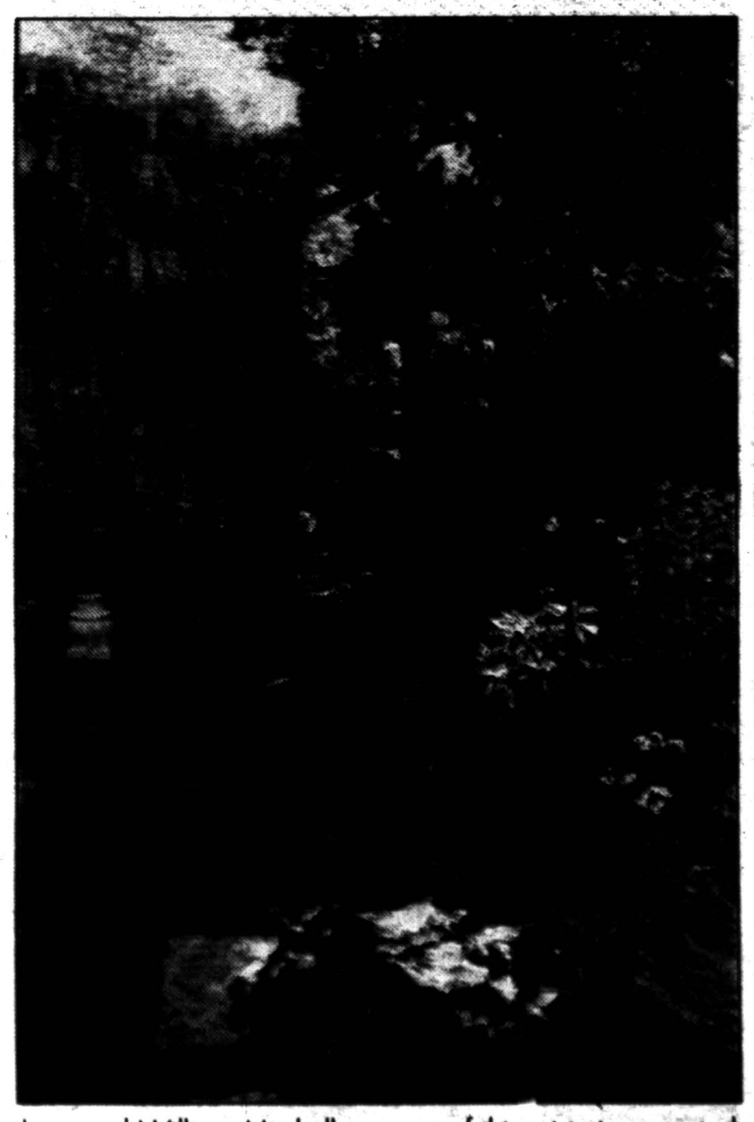


Jean and William Mitchell; owners of this wisteria-accented home, will open their doors for the Picadilly Park restoration benefit this Sunday.

Chamber concert stars County Symphony principals

PRINCIPAL PLAYERS from the Monterey County Symphony will perform chamber works at 8 p.m. Friday at Carmel's Golden Bough Playhouse.

Featured work is Serge Prokofiev's "Quintet for Oboe, Clarinet, Violin, Viola and Doublebass," Op. 39. Five principal players from the orchestra will perform: Bennie Cottone, Mark Shannon, James Potochny, Vladimir Khalikulov, and Bruce Moyer.

The concert is sponsored by Creme Carmel Restaurant and the Granary Market, Pacific Grove.

Tickets are $16 for adults and $8 for children. VISA and MasterCard are accepted. Call 624-8511.

Monterey Peninsula native James Potochny was a student member of the Monterey County Symphony during former music director Haymo Taeuber's time with the orchestra.

Consider the possibility of a city sojourn for mother on her special day

ONE OF THE NICEST Mothers' Day gifts my kids ever gave me was a weekend away. Come to think of it they did it twice — once when they were 8, 12 and 14 respectively and the second time as young adults. 'Cause little kids are smart and they conspire to have Dad foot the bill for Mama's present, the first weekend was at a quiet country retreat with no television and no phone in the room. What a blessed break!

Traveling Gourmet

By Lotte Mendelsohn

The adult offspring are even smarter, and now they know that empty-nest parents like to do grownup things, like go to the theater, eat elegantly and shop without having active, wriggly two-legged extensions to both arms, each wanting to go in a different direction.

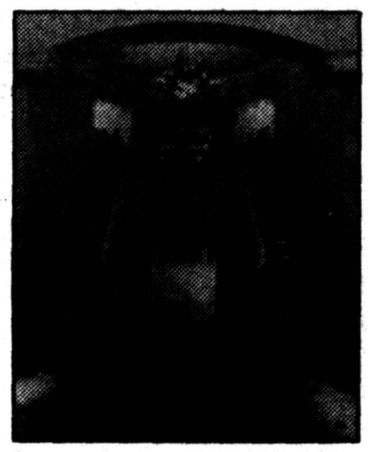
Because there's still time to put in a call and duplicate my young one's ingenuity, let me share this year's "We love you, Mom" surprise — a weekend in San Francisco. My progeny have a taste for service and elegance and that's exactly what we're anticipating. Hotel reservations have been made at the Prescott, a great favorite of ours. The boutique hotel is one of the small jewels in the crown of "Mongoose Marketing" magnate Bill Kimpton. Also, it sits conveniently a block away from Union Square and equidistant from Nordstrom, Gumps and Loehmanns! What else can a shopper dream of?

Each of the 158 rooms of the hotel has its own comfort and charm. If you're a high roller and want to treat Mom to a Taj Mahal-like experience, try for the Mendocino Penthouse Suite. It has a baby grand piano (and it's in tune), a private roof garden with a hot tub, and a black and white marble bathroom to die for. All the little luxuries are part of the hotel's regular accouterments of course, including fluffy, oversized bath towels and robes. She'll love it!

Continental breakfast is invitingly laid out (oh those warm S.F. croissants), in the fourth floor club room — the same cozy area where Bert and I will meet after our separate (but equal) afternoon shopping forays.

We were given a choice between theater tickets with a light dinner, or the "works" at Postrio (next door to the hotel), champagne to pastry. Because my feet only have so many daily miles in them, and I'll be famished and ready for an evening eating "experience," we choose Postrio, 'cause we had an outstanding dinner there several months ago.

All of these reservations can be made by a multi-faceted gentleman called Jimmy Hord. Jimmy is half proper concierge and half mother hen. If you can't think of something exciting to do, just tell him your preference, ballet, opera, art opening or big sale, and he'll arrange the rest. His welcoming grin alone is worth the trip! The hotel GM is a familiar face to we Peninsu-lights — he spent several years here with the Highlands Inn, and his efficiency, warmth and hospitality have become a hotel hallmark — also, he has the most remarkable bright green eyes!



The inviting lobby of the Prescott Hotel.

Let me expand a bit about Postrio. Dynamic Wolfgang Puck's salute to San Francisco is a roaring success and with reason. We were there on a Monday night and all 200+ seats were filled with ebullient diners. As with Boulevard which I reviewed several months ago, the overall design is Pat Kuleto's and it sizzles. The restaurant is newly redecorated, and whether you like an individual piece or not, the quality of the contemporary art (paintings, ceramics, textiles, metal work and the like) is dazzling and exciting.

A Maypole-swirled carpet leads you down the staircase and into the main room. The lighting in a restaurant is something I always notice. At Postrio, Pam Morris' way with electricity is quite magical. The color ribbons of the carpet are repeated in the canoe-shaped sconces and three-foot hanging orbs of light which bathe the dining stage in a high energy glow. It also allows you to see how beautifully plated your breakfast, lunch or dinner are, and to appreciate the flavors with your eyes, before you dig in.

The food is quite simply, superb and the wait staff to be equally lauded. The kitchen of course is a Kuleto special with 24 burners worked by eight line chefs, all in full view of the dining room. If any of you have seen the Irish contra dancers in "RiverDance," that same feeling of excitement is given watching the choreography of the cooking staff.

Sipping my Anderson Valley champagne (Roederer) I gave myself over to the sheer joy of menu study. Finally, I ordered "Sashimi of Tuna, Salmon Tartare and Miso Glazed Prawns." Bert had "Maine Scallops with Sweet Potato Purée and Black Bean Truffle Sauce." Following were "Chinese Duck with Spicy Mango Sauce and Crispy Lotus Root." Because I was saving room for dessert, I opted for a second appetizer.

This was a delicate construction of three large, egg raviolini filled with spinach and a quail egg sitting in a port wine reduction. This marvel was topped with a split, crispy grilled quail. "Marvel" because the quail egg yolk was soft and runny while its enclosing hefty pasta was properly cooked al dente. Considering the size and thickness of the pasta, how in the world did they get that egg yolk so deliciously undercooked? You chefs out there, please tell us the secret, the Postrio staff played "We dunno, it's a secret" consummately!

Our desserts were a Vanilla bean Crême Brulée which

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■ *Lotte Mendelsohn is a food and travel writer with more than 20 years of national and international experience. She has written three books (culinary travelogs), and has lectured extensively at universities, to food professionals and consumer groups. Her 'Traveling Gourmet' radio show is broadcast to 132 markets on Talk America. Lotte and her husband, Bert, reside in Pebble Beach.*

Deeply saturated and vivid colors distinguish the digital images by Corinne Whitaker.

DEFT DIGITAL PAINTINGS DEBUT AT THE CARL CHERRY GALLERY

"EATING HYACINTHS" is the title of an exhibit of new digital paintings by Corinne Whitaker opening at the Carl Cherry Center for the Arts. A reception for the artist is set from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday at the Carl Cherry Gallery, Fourth and Guadalupe, Carmel.

Corinne Whitaker is noted for her deeply saturated and vividly colored digital images. Her work has been featured in more than 60 solo shows and 200 group exhibits all over the world.

Her series, "Dick and Jane Revisited," has toured the United States and is currently on exhibit in Mumbai (formerly Bombay) India, the first digital fine art exhibit ever to be seen in that country.

Exhibit hours are 11 to 4 Monday through Friday, noon to 4 Saturdays, until June 13. For more information, call 624-7491.

All Saints slates annual rummage sale

A TRADITION for more than 50 years, the All Saints Rummage Sale features collectibles, jewelry, furniture, garden plants, kitchen items, linens, games, sporting goods and clothes for the entire family. New this year is the sports boutique.

Shoppers can enjoy a specially prepared lunch in the All Saints gardens served between 11 a.m. and 1:30.

There is a $1 donation requested per adult (children free). All proceeds from the sales, luncheon and admission benefit outreach projects.

The sale takes place 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Saturday at All Saints Episcopal Church, Ninth and Dolores, Carmel.

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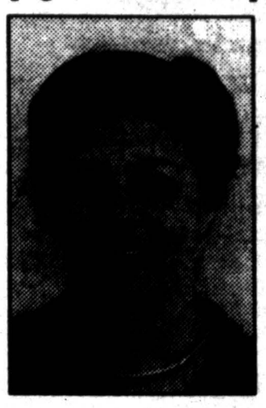
Carmel Foundation pursues an 'Adventure in Neighborliness'



Apron Strings

By Deborah Smith

ONCE UPON a time (as wonderful stories begin), in a cozy house down on Scenic overlooking the big beautiful bay, Jane Egan Trevvett met with friends to discuss their concerns about the well-being of Carmel's elderly citizens. This original group of caring folk wanted to do something positive for the old timers who were living alone and feeling a bit isolated.

Two years later, in 1950, the Carmel Foundation, "An Adventure in Neighborliness," became reality. The two-page statement of purpose they drew up concluded this way: "Perhaps the Carmel Foundation is not a corporation or an organization but a state of mind. If so, it is part of the eternal stream of life manifested by human beings when they behave like good neighbors."

Right from the start, the Foundation has been financially supported through the generosity of friends; there has never been any government funding.

At first money came in slowly. But in 1952, a $6,000 gift from the Bing Crosby Fund enabled the Foundation to purchase a small redwood cottage on Lincoln Street. Known as Town House, it quickly became a gathering place for members who were encouraged to exhibit their artwork, pursue hobbies, play cards or chess, read or listen to music or just visit over a cup of tea.

'Perhaps the Carmel Foundation is not a corporation or an organization but a state of mind. If so, it is part of the eternal stream of life manifested by human beings when they behave like good neighbors.'

– From the Foundation 'Statement of Purpose,' 1950

More financial help came as the Foundation gained recognition. In 1953, Hank Ketcham drew a cartoon of Dennis the Menace smashing his piggy bank with the caption "It's OK, Dad. It's to help the older folks." Then Monterey Peninsula Volunteer Services (MPVS) provided the funds for a new roof for Town House. Little by little, the Foundation was on its way, developing into a magnificent entity. Ten years after it began there were 444 members. Today the Foundation can count 4,200.

More goals achieved

Another focus of the original concept was to aid many of Carmel's elderly who needed moderately priced housing. By 1962, through continuing donations and bequests, the Foundation was able to make its first residential acquisition in its purchase of a small motel. Then two more Carmel motels were bought and renovated into apartments. To honor special Foundation benefactors, they were named Norton, Haseltine and Trevvett Courts. These have always been offered to Carmel residents who qualify for low-income housing.

On March 18, 1974, more expansion occurred with the ground breaking ceremonies of the three-building complex at Lincoln and Eighth which today functions as the core of the endeavor. Town House was sold and moved, once again to become a private home.

For the past 10 years, John Freitas, Carmel Foundation executive director, has overseen its wide array of activities and services. The Foundation offers a myriad of group activities, including photography, ceramics, wood carving, needlecraft, tai chi, personal fitness and bridge lessons. The computer learning center provides a wide variety of classes including access to the internet. There are also scheduled bus tours to museums, the ballet and opera as well as garden and mansion showcase tours.

Following in the tradition of the founders, there is a growing list of support services for the housebound. These include home meal delivery, goodwill visits, loans of medical equipment and legal counseling. A respite program is also available to assist families who are caring for the chronically ill.

The Foundation's mission is to encourage its members to carry out everyday living, promote good health and emotional well-being, and offer camaraderie to those in their golden years.

"....And All the Ships at Sea"

Among the Foundation's most popular events are the reasonably priced luncheons served four days a week and the annual musical production.

This year's performance, titled "....And All the Ships at Sea," is written and directed by Sandy Williams. Show time is 7 p.m. Friday, May 16, followed by 2 p.m. matinees on Saturday and Sunday, May 17-18. Tickets may be purchased for $6 at the door or call 624-1588.

"The spirit and energy of my cast is amazing, especially realizing that the average age is over 70," Williams states. This is the sixth year this local actress and director has overseen the spring-time production. With a cast of more than 20 Foundation members, the revue hinges upon a cruise ship mystery complete with a jewel theft and romance.

Stars Earl and Cherie Bozlee will be returning for their fifth year. The cast includes vocalist Francis Duda, local attorney Janna Ottman, retired doctor Joseph Noto as Red Snapper, Ellen Castle, Jeanne Malek and Edgar Pye. Others include pint-sized Mercedes Ferrante, Julius Friedman, and the stowaway — Wies Norberg.

Once again this annual event will include an old fashioned ice cream social after each performance.

Lively lunchtimes

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday during lunch (11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.) is a special time at the Foundation,

See APRON STRINGS page 15B

■ *'Apron Strings,' written by Carmel resident Deborah Smith, appears twice monthly in Peninsula.*

Answers to Last Week's Puzzle

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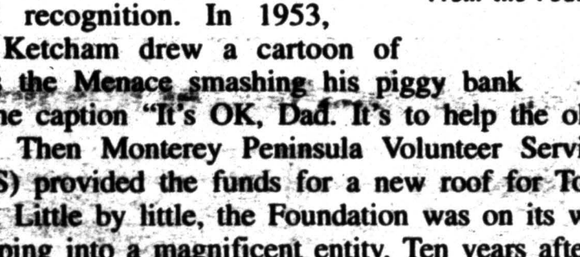

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Public notices

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME F-921454

The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name **THE CLARK COMPANY, 1024 Highland Dr., Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in Monterey County on Sept. 1, 1992.

LAURANCE B. CLARK, 1024 Highlander, Seaside, Ca. 93955.

This business was conducted by Laurance B. Clark.

(s) Laurance B. Clark

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 31, 1997.

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

(PC416)

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME F-970491

The following person(s) have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name **CARMEL HEALTH SHOP, at San Carlos btwn. Ocean & 7th St., Vandervurt Court, Carmel, Ca. 93921.**

The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in Monterey County on March 11, 1997.

REMI BENZAKEN, 302 San Miguel Ave., Salinas, Ca. 93901.

YOSHIKO SANTELL, 302 San Miguel Ave., Salinas, Ca. 93901.

This business was conducted by husband and wife.

(s) Yoshiko Santell

Remi Benzaken

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 2, 1997.

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

(PC417)

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME F-921915

The following person(s) have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name **RSVP PUBLICATOINS - RSVP MONTEREY BAY at 1155 Meridian Ave. #218, San Jose, Ca. 95125.**

The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in Monterey County on Nov. 23rd, 1992.

PETER MENAGHAN, 35378 Lake Blvd., Newark, Ca. 94560.

This business was conducted by Peter Menaghan.

(s) Peter Menaghan

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 13, 1997.

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

(PC421)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No.F970519

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **RSVP PUBLICATIONS, RSVP MONTEREY BAY, 200 Dunecrest #2, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

MEREDITH COLE MOCK II, 200 Dunecrest #2, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

DAWN MARIE MOCK, 200 Dunecrest #2, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 13, 1997.

(s) Meredith Cole Mock II

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 13, 1997.

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

(PC420)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No.F970672

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **PARLSEY, SAGE & THYME, 233 Crossroads, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

STEVE ABANDONATO, 1411 Bay St., Florence, Oregon, 92439.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Steven Abandonato

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 1, 1997.

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

(PC418)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No.F970650

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **S.I.E., 24700 Pescadero Road, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

DAVID SIEGELMAN, 24700 Pescadero Road., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

SUZANNE LYNN SIEGELMAN, 24700 Pescadero Road, Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 15, 1997.

(s) David Siegelman

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 31, 1997.

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

(PC419)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No.F970561

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CHASE & CO., 354 Watson St. #C, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

PAUL RODNEY CHASE, 354 Watson St. #C, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

NANCY DIANE CHASE, 354 Watson St. #C, Monterey, Ca. 93940

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

(s) Paul Rodney Chase

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 18, 1997.

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

(PC422)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No.F970548

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **AAL PAINTING & DECORATING, 1094 D Amador Ave., Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

DONALD YOSET REED, 1094 D. Amador Ave., Seaside, Ca. 93955.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 17, 1992.

(s) Donald Y. Reed

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 17, 1997.

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

(PC423)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No.F970655

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CABLE STAR, 1115 Funston Ave., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.**

HARRY K. ALLISON, 244 Soledad Dr., Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Harry K. Allison

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 31, 1997.

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

(PC424)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No.F970537

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **PACIFIC COAST HAULING, 1266 A. Wanda Ave., Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

JOHN F. AVILA JR., 1266 A. Wanda Ave., Seaside, Ca. 93955.

RAYMOND ST. THOMAS, 1204 San Miguel Cyn. Rd., Prunedale, Ca.

This business is conducted by co-partners.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 14, 1997.

(s) John F. Avila Jr.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 14, 1997.

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

(PC425)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No.F970524

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **DURANGO RED, 359 Larkin Street, #14, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

ROXANNE LOREE FISHER, 359 Larkin Street, #14, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 1, 1997.

(s) Roxanne L. Fisher

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 13, 1997.

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

(PC426)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No.F970649

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **J&S SURPLUS, EAGLE EMBLEMS, CLARK COMPANY, GLOBAL PARTNERS, Hwy. 1 & Struve Rd., Moss Landing, Ca. 95039.**

JAMES D. GILBERTSON, 789 Green Valley Rd. #24, Wats. Ca. 95076.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 26, 1997.

(s) James D. Gilbertson

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 31, 1997.

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

(PC427)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No.F970615

The following person(s) are doing business as **ROY MALCOLM dba POST RANCH SPA, Hwy. 1, Big Sur, Ca. (P.O. Box 219) 93920.**

ROY ALEXANDER MALCOLM, 39020 Coast Rd., Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Roy Alexander Malcolm

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 26, 1992.

Publication dates: April 17, 24, May 1, 8, 1997.

(PC438)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No.F970638

The following person(s) are doing business as **CARMEL GARDEN SHOW, DESIGNS FOR DINING, 27965 Dorris Dr., Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

PERENNIAL EVENTS INC. - CALIFORNIA, 27965 Dorris Dr. Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

(s) K. Leach, President

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 7, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 28, 1997.

Publication dates: April 17, 24, May 1, 8, 1997.

(PC439)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No.F970745

The following person(s) are doing business as **MONTEREY BAY HYPNOTHERAPY, 1201 Davis Ave., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.**

DUANE EMIL GOMES, 1201 David Ave, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Duane E. Gomes

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on April 11, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 11, 1997.

Publication dates: April 17, 24, May 1, 8, 1997.

(PC440)

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO SELL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

Date of Filing Applications: April 14, 1997

To Whom It May Concern:

The name of the applicants is **R & R DELCO LLC** The applicants listed above are applying to the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control to sell alcoholic beverages at **LINCOLN BTWN. 5TH & 6TH ES UPSTRS, CARMEL, CA. 93921.**

For the following type of license: 41 ON-SALE BEER AND WINE - EATING

Publication dates: April 17, 24, May 1, 1996.

(PC452)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F970721

The following person(s) are doing business as **THE TREASURE CHEST, SE Corner of Ocean Avenue and Monte Verde, Court of the Golden Bough, Carmel, Ca. 93921.**

GORDON D. AATLO, 1217 San Carlos Avenue, San Carlos, Ca. 94070.

ALMA N. ALLEN, 1217 San Carlos Avenue, San Carlos, Ca. 94070.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

(s) Gordon D. Aatlo

(s) Alma N. Allen

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on April 1, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 8, 1997.

Publication dates: April 17, 24, May 1, 8, 1997.

(PC441)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F970841

The following person(s) are doing business as **VKS FILIPINO ORIENTAL MARKET, 250 Reservation Rd. #F, Marina, Ca. 93933.**

CLARITA M. DELA CRUZ 138 Seal Court, Marina, Ca. 93933.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Clarita M. Dela Cruz

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on April 1, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 28, 1997.

Publication dates: April 17, 24, May 1, 8, 1997.

(PC442)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F970639

The following person(s) are doing business as **MHM TRANSPORTATION, 229 5th St. Greenfield, Ca. 93927.**

MAGDALENO MARTINEZ, 229 5th St., Greenfield, Ca. 93927.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Magdaleno Martinez

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 31, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 28, 1997.

Publication dates: April 17, 24, May 1, 8, 1997.

(PC445)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F970600

The following person(s) are doing business as **CAMERON SCOTT INTERNATIONAL, 3rd House S.W. Monte Verde bt. 7th/8th, Carmel, Ca. 93921. P.O. Box 4508.**

PETER K. C. SCOTT, No house delivery, P.O. Box 4508, Carmel, Ca. 93921.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Peter K.C. Scott

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 15, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 24, 1997.

Publication dates: April 17, 24, May 1, 8, 1997.

(PC443)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F970671

The following person(s) are doing business as **ALL ELECTRIC CARTS & CADDIES, 391 Reservation Rd., Marina, Ca. 93933.**

BENN ALLEN MURRAY, 10840 Haight St., Castroville, Ca. 95012.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Benn A. Murray

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on April 1, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 1, 1997.

Publication dates: April 17, 24, May 1, 8, 1997.

(PC447)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F970556

The following person(s) are doing business as **YOLTI DAYCARE, 1545 Boyle Ct., Salinas, Ca. 93906.**

YOLANDA FIGUEROA, 1545 Boyle Ct., Salinas, Ca. 93906.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Yolanda Figueroa

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 17, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 17, 1997.

Publication dates: April 17, 24, May 1, 8, 1997.

(PC448)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F970758

The following person(s) are doing business as **BRIX RESTAURANT, E/s Lincoln St. btwn. 5th & 6th, Carmel, Ca. 93921.**

R & R DELCO LLC CA, 25920 Via Margarita Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by a limited liability company.

(s) Andrew R. Del Pozzo

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 1, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 14, 1997.

Publication dates: April 17, 24, May 1, 8, 1997.

(PC454)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F970560

The following person(s) are doing business as **HOMETOWN MARKET PLACE OF MONTEREY, 404 Camino Al Mar, La Selva Beach, Ca. 95076.**

DAVID M. FRANKLIN, 404 Camino Al Mar, La Selva Beach, Ca. 95076.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) David M. Franklin

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 15, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 18, 1997.

Publication dates: April 17, 24, May 1, 8, 1997.

(PC451)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F970732

The following person(s) are doing business as **BLUE DRAGON, 73 East Garzas Road, P.O. Box 873, Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924.**

TAMAR COLLINS 633/2A Dien Bien Phu St., Disctrict 3, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Tamar Collins

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 20, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 10, 1997.

Publication dates: April 17, 24, May 1, 8, 1997.

(PC450)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F970583

The following person(s) are doing business as **CROSSWORLDS TRAVEL, RUTH TAKA TRAVEL, 26386 Carmel Rancho Lane, Suite 201, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

RUTH MEGUMI TAKA - MOFFAT, 18375 Corral Del Cielo, Salinas, Ca. 93908.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Ruth Taka-Moffet

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 1, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 20, 1997.

Publication dates: April 17, 24, May 1, 8, 1997.

(PC446)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F970572

The following persons are doing business as **PLAZA LINDA MEXICAN RESTAURANT, 9 Defino Place, Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924.**

DEAN S. DIAZ JR., 30 Camino De Travesia, Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924.

JOSSIE E. DIAZ, 30 Camino De Travesia

This business is conducted by husband and wife.

(s) Dean Diaz

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 19, 1997.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 19, 1997.

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

(PC433)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F970654

The following persons are doing business as **BALLOONS TO GO, 316 Crescent Way, Salinas, Ca. 93906.**

SHARON FLORES, 257 Pueblo Dr., Salinas, Ca. 93906.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Sharon Flores

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4-1-97.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 31, 1997.

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

(PC429)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F970682

The following persons are doing business as **SNAKEBYTE ENTERPRISES, 3030 Antietam Ct., Marina, Ca. 93933.**

JEFFREY S. ARNETT, 3030 Antietam Ct., Marina, Ca. 93933.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Jeff Arnett

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4/2/97.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 2, 1997.

Publication dates: April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 1997.

(PC458)

SUMMONS — FAMILY LAW CASE NUMBER: MDR 30055

NOTICE TO RESPONDENT THERESA KERR YOU ARE BEING SUED.

PETITIONER'S NAME IS: GARY KERR.

You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this Summons and Petition are served on you to file a Response (form 1282) at the court and serve a copy on the petitioner. A letter or phone call will not protect you.

If you do not file your Response on time, the court may make orders affecting your marriage, your property, and custody of your children. You may be ordered to pay support and attorney fees and costs. If you cannot pay the filing fees, ask the clerk for a fee waiver form.

If you want legal advice, contact a lawyer immediately.

NOTICE The restraining orders are effective against both husband and wife until the petition is dismissed, a judgement is entered, or the court makes further orders. These orders are enforceable anywhere in California by any law enforcement officer who has received or seen a copy of them.

The name and address of the court is: Superior Court of Monterey County, 1200 Aguajito Road, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

The name, address and telephone number of petitioner's attorney, or petitioner without an attorney, is: John P. Hannon II, Atttorney at Law, 27880 Dorris Drive, Suite 110, Carmel, Ca. 93923.

Date: May 23, 1996

Clerk, by T. Henss, Deputy

Publication dates: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1997.

(PC431)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F970791

The following person is doing business as **WILLIAM A. KARGAS FINE ART, S/W corner Dolores & 5th, Carmel, Ca. 93921.**

WILLIAM A. KARGAS FINE ART, S/W corner Dolores & 5th, Carmel, Ca. 93921.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

(s) William A. Kargas

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 17, 1987.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on April 16, 1997.

Publication dates: May 1, 8, 15, 22, 1997.

(PC506)

JOE FITZPATRICK

FROM PAGE 1B

to normal?"

Of course it is! I say we dump FORA and appoint J.M.B. as all-powerful czar of a **Back to Fort Ord's Future** commission!

Are you with me?

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TODAY'S QUOTE . . . Flannery O'Connor:

"Everywhere I go I'm asked if I think universities stifle writers. My opinion is that they don't stifle enough of them.

"There's many a bestseller out there that could have been prevented by a good teacher."

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BAG O' TELL . . . The passing of great old **Jake Stock** at 86 last week was a sad blow to this area, not only musically but character-wise, as well.

Jake was not only a jazz musician of rare stature, he had an engaging sense of humor, was a genuinely nice person, and most of all, he had integrity.

THIS was an icon for our area, and we shall never be able to replace him, only remember him.

Somewhere notes ring clearly,
Somewhere jazz is sweet today;
But there's no joy in these here parts,
Old Jake Stock has passed away.

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THE BEAT GOES ON . . . Also checking out recently was good old **Bob Canon**, 77, who died of a stroke April 4 in Palm Springs.

Canon and the late **Jim Stone** owned and operated The Clock restaurant in Monterey for approximately 18 years before selling it in the early 1980s. (Two other partners of Canon were not involved in operating it.)

AFTER Stone died, Canon moved to Palm Springs in 1984 where he and a partner, **Walker Richardson**, bought a small inn there and enlarged it and operated it right up to Canon's death.

Widely known here, Bob Canon was a buoyant, beamish gentleman, hellishly bright, extremely well-informed, and possessed of a boundless sense of humor!

TOO many nice people are dying off.

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NOW THEN . . . Giuliano's, the jewel-like dinner house on Mission near Fifth in Carmel, is in the process of sale to three persons with ties to the wondrous Post Ranch in Big Sur.

They are **Wendy Little**, former chef at Post Ranch, and **Myles Williams** and **Michael Freed**, owners of that facility.

SELLER is **Chris Caul**, and escrow is due to close June 1.

Naturally, Carmel's **Demon Don Bowen** handled the transaction.

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VIRGIL Roberts of Salinas reports that **Napoleon Kaufman**, an Oakland Raiders football player, will appear in Salinas Saturday afternoon to sign autographs for $14 apiece!

That's for "flat items" — like a piece of paper. But for signing "other items" — like caps, balls, etc. — the gouge will be $17!

Virgil — "Isn't this a wonderful message to youngsters from today's greedy, grossly overpaid athletes — 'Show Me the Money, kid!'"

Just remember, Virgil, Kaufman is learning at the feet of that noted selfless benefactor of the taxpayers, Mr. Altruistic himself — **Al Davis**!

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AS LONG AS we're up here in Salinas (obviously we're lost), **Theresa Sharp** of this town wonders if we're aware of the brouhaha going on about the design for the National Steinbeck Center.

"The Salinas Californian has been full of letters lambasting the design as looking like an oil refinery, an airport in Topeka, and just about anything else that doesn't belong in the same hemisphere with Steinbeck or Salinas," she said.

NOPE, we weren't aware. See, The Bland here is madly wooing subscribers in Salinas, and its strategy is to print only GOOD news — happy talk news saturated with treacle — about everything in that town! So we didn't know.

BUT I say when residents have pride enough to get all fired up about proposed architecture of public buildings, there's hope for Salinas yet!

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A THOUGHT to ponder on your weekend, courtesy of **Robert Byrne**:

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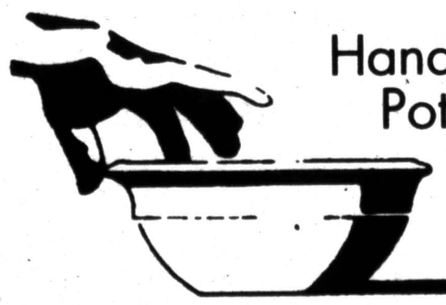
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Feature of the Week:

Stokes Adobe

Tales of ghostly apparitions blend with world-class cuisine to make Stokes Adobe a uniquely Monterey dining experience. Portions of the historic structure, located at 500 Hartnell St. in Monterey, date back to the 1833 colonial period. Here, Chef Brandon Miller works his magic on lunch and dinner menus every day.

Miller acquired the restaurant with partners Kirk and Dorothea Probasco in June of last year. The building has a history as rich as any here, since Stokes was an English sailor who arrived in Monterey in 1834 and went on to serve as mayor.

Chef Miller immediately went to work and formulated a menu that is distinctively Country Mediterranean. Miller, 33, began his cooking experience cracking crabs at waterfront stands on Fisherman's Wharf in his native San Francisco. At 20, he launched his culinary career when he took over the oyster bar at Pacific Heights Bar & Grill. Miller held positions at Fog City Diner and at Tra Vigne in the Napa Valley. He then toured and worked in restaurants in Europe before returning to San Francisco to work as sous chef at Campton Place. His first chef's position followed at LuLu Bis.

Chef Miller makes creative use of the best of local produce and meats. The menu is rich with such diverse offerings as Grilled Lavender-Infused Pork Chop with Savory Bread Pudding and Pear Chutney; Monterey Bay Abalone with Citrus-Fava Bean Risotto and Champagne Sauce and Housemade Mozzarella and Ciabatta Bread with Herb Olive Oil.

Stokes Adobe boasts an extensive selection of California and imported wines. Nor are desserts overlooked: Chef Miller prepares Warm Apricot Clafouti, Warm Banana Rum Bread Pudding with Vanilla Creme Anglaise and other confections.

And what of that ghost? Some claim she is Martha Harriet, who made the Stokes Adobe the center of area social life until her death in 1948. Chef Miller produces a culinary tribute to her in the form of the dessert: Hattie's Chocolate Dream.

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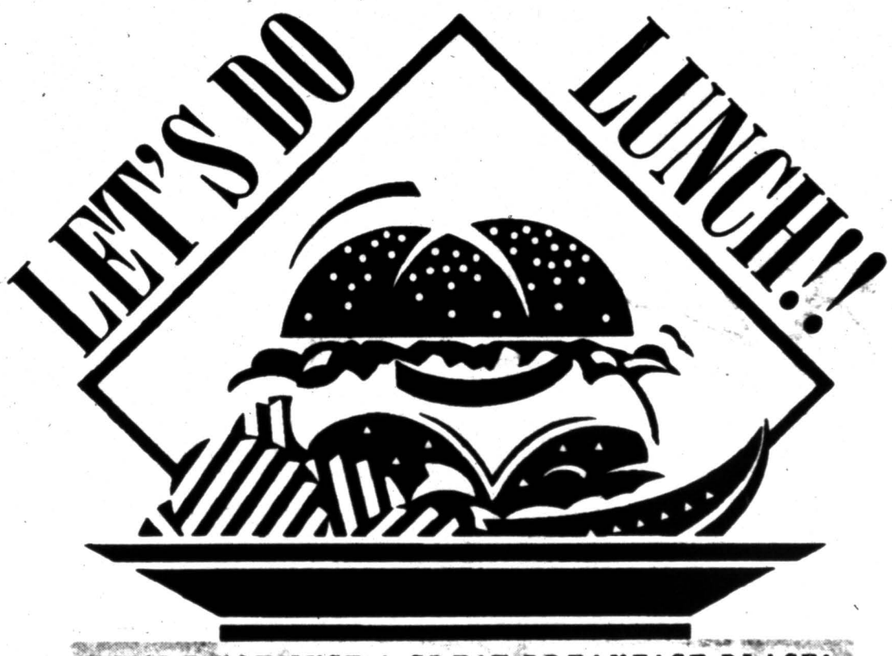

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CLASSICAL CONCERT REVIEW/Nathalie Plotkin

Sunset Theater witnesses brave staging of classic opera

By NATHALIE PLOTKIN

SANTA CRUZ BAY City Opera demonstrated great courage in leaving its home base to try its luck in a new territory and for a new audience. They came to Carmel's Sunset auditorium Saturday night to do so.

Considering that they are a small company with obviously limited resources, it was gratifying to see how much they could do with what they have. Showing much versatility and devotion to their chosen media enabled these hard working folks to arrive at creditable results with their production.

Verdi's "La Traviata," the classic story of the courtesan who finally finds true love and then must renounce it, is one of the truly large-proportioned grand operas. To be done in a full realization of the libretto and the musical score, it calls for highly decorative sets, a large chorus, dancers, a symphonic-size orchestra, three star quality principal singers and several minor principals.

In the face of all of this, the achievements of General Director Karole Lewis, who also wears the hats of publicity, program design, costume design and construction (and just incidentally, sings and acts the role of the soprano heroine) are to be applauded.

The instrumental score was in the capable hands of Stephen Tosh who is very well known on the Peninsula for his musical wizardry. Using a highly skilled string quintet and his synthesizer, he worked wonders with Verdi's highly demanding score. It really worked.

The sets designed by Roger Thompson were simple but effective. The First Act ballroom was elegant. The second act garden room was lovely and the deathbed scene had all that was needed.

The 14 chorus members sang well and lustily. They were decorative guests and added all the scenic presence the party scenes called for. Caren and Donna Chato were charming gypsy dancers.

For me, the high point of the production was the second act. Set in a charming garden scene, the heart of the drama is revealed. Tenor Peter Lewis (Alfredo) sang exuberantly of his new found happiness. Karole Lewis (Violetta) showed the sweetness of her vocal temperament in response.

But then the tragedy was set in motion by baritone Warren Brown (Germont, who is Alfredo's father). In some of the finest vocalism of the evening he asked Violetta to renounce her love for Alfredo because it had caused a scandal which could ruin the happiness of his daughter. Brown's sensitive vocalism and Karole Lewis' pleading sweetness made for an engrossing musical experience. The act contains a wealth of lovely music including Brown's polished rendition of "Di Provenza" which is one of the opera's greatest arias.

The production had its weaknesses. Among them, Peter Lewis was plagued by pitch problems. Stage Director Michael Taylor allowed the singers to address too much of their music to the audience straight out rather than to each other, and the final death scene was over active and, considering that the cause of the heroine's demise was a rather debilitating one, unrealistic. On the other hand, he took a story that verged on the melodramatic and smoothed it out to a semblance of credibility.

Nathalie Plotkin, music critic for The Pine Cone since 1987, is a graduate of Queen's College with a B.A. in music education and received an M.A. from the Claremont Graduate School in music history. She has taught and performed on the piano, viola and recorder. She has participated in the Monterey County Symphony, many string quartets and early music groups.

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arrived enrobed in puff pastry and topped with fresh berries, AND a wicked Dark Chocolate Soufflé Cake. The cheese tray beckoned too, but enough is enough and if it's a toss between Valhrona and Boursault, the V's have it!

A walk around Union Square should be a post dessert treat. It's well lit and policed and at this time of year filled with flowers. Upstairs to that Pomerania Down king size, the 11 o'clock TV news and thank you family, it's great to be a Mom!

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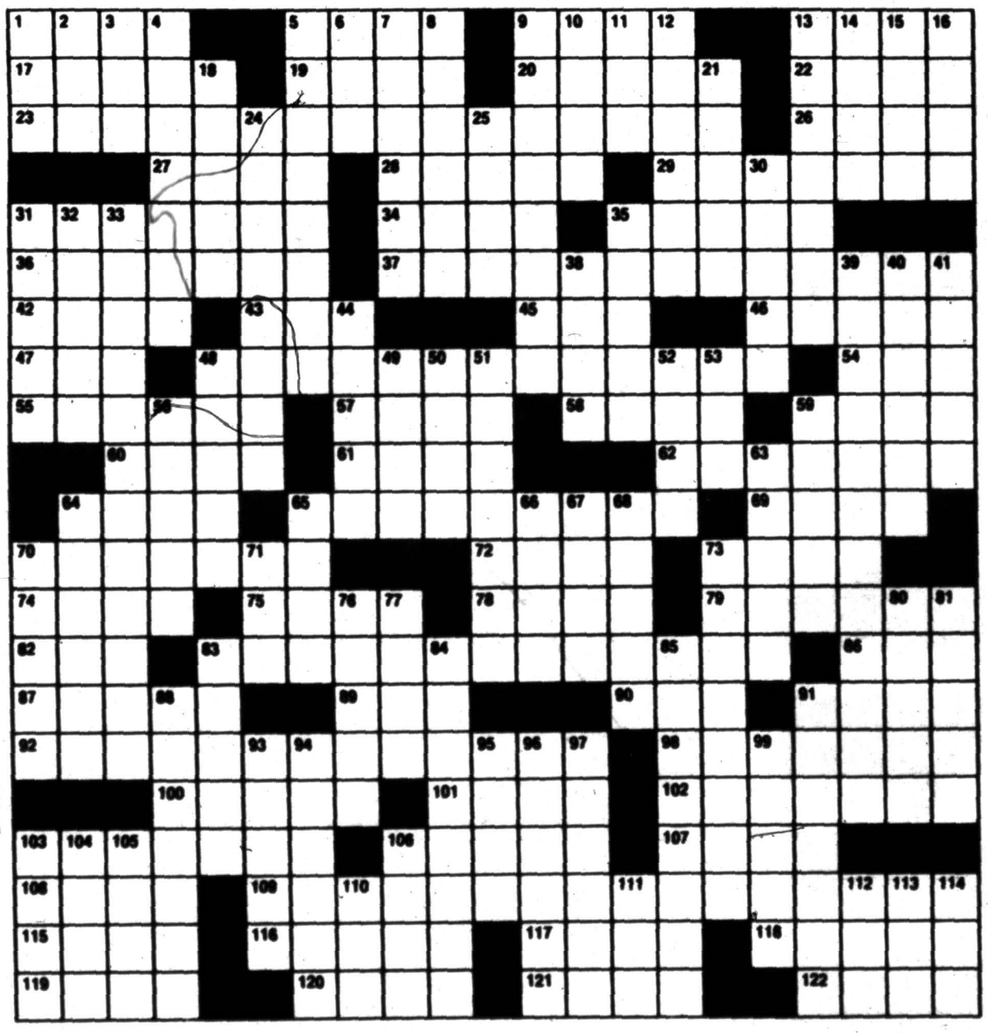

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CALENDAR

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LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

Seminar: "Monterey Bay Area: Natural History and Cultural Imprints," by Dr. Burton Gordon — Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History, Forest at Central, Pacific Grove, 7 p.m., free. Phone 373-5357.

Vipassana Meditation — Monterey Peninsula Friends of C.G. Jung, 284 Foam St., Monterey, 7:30 p.m., weekly, donation requested. Reservations: 649-4018.

Celtic Harper Patrick Ball Performs "O'Carolan's Farewell to Music" — Monterey Public Library, 625 Pacific St., Monterey, 7 p.m., $8. Phone 646-3949.

MISCELLANEOUS

Historic Monterey Path of History Walking Tours — Maritime Museum Stanton Center, 5 Custom House Plaza, Monterey, daily, 10:15 a.m./12:30 and 2:30 p.m. Phone 646-5640 or 649-7111.

Parents of Runaway Teens Support Group — All Saints' Church,Youth Room, Dolores at Ninth, Carmel, 7:30 p.m., $5. Phone 622-8422.

Military Order of the World Wars Meeting — Rancho Cañada, Carmel Valley Road, Carmel Valley, 11:30 a.m.Phone 655-3836.

Discussion on Bankruptcy by Clark Miller — Monterey College of Law, 404 W. Franklin St., Monterey, 6:30-9:30 p.m., fee. Phone 373-3301.

The Rev. Ronald Barton Discussion Group — Community Church of the Monterey Peninsula, Carmel Valley Road., Carmel Valley, 2-3:30/7-8:30 p.m., weekly, free. Phone 624-8595.

Monterey Peninsula College Concert Band Rehearsals — Monterey Peninsula College, 980 Fremont St., Monterey, 7-10 p.m., weekly. Phone 656-4205.

FRIDAY 2

THEATER

Gigi — Wharf Theater, Fisherman's Wharf, Monterey, 8:30 p.m., $15/8. Phone 649-2332 or 372-1373.

The Pirates of Penzance — Sunset Center Theater, San Carlos at Ninth, Carmel, 7:30 p.m., $6/5. Phone

Allison Wonderland — Carmel High School Theater Co., Carmel High School, Little Theater, Room 2, Hwy. 1, Carmel, 8 p.m. Phone 659-8550.

MUSIC/DANCE

I Cantori di Carmel — Carmel Mission Basilica, Rio Road, Carmel, 8 p.m. Phone 655-0869.

Monterey County Symphony Chamber Ensemble II — Golden Bough Playhouse, Monte Verde Street, Carmel, 8 p.m.

Pianist Rob Schneiderman — The Inn at Spanish Bay, The Bay Club, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-10:30 p.m. Phone 647-7500.

Brazilian Jazz: The Helcio Milito Trio with Norma Latuchi — The Inn at Spanish Bay, Lobby Lounge, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-11 p.m., free. Phone 647-7423.

All James Band — Cibo, 301 Alvarado St., Monterey, 9:30-1:30 a.m., free. Phone 649-8151.

The Black box Cabaret with Chi Mizu — California State University, Monterey Bay, Marina, 8 p.m., $5/2. Phone 582-4085.

MISCELLANEOUS

Mother's Day Celebration — Thomas Kinkade Galleries, The National Archive, 550 Wave St., Monterey, 3-5 p.m. Phone 657-1560.

Jumble and Bake Sale — Beth's House, 514 Park St., Pacific Grove, 5-6 p.m. Phone 372-7625.

Reception for Artist Robert McClung — Sunset Cultural Center, Marjorie Evans Gallery, San Carlos at Ninth, Carmel, 5-7 p.m. Phone 657-1560.

Opening of "Preservation Begins at Home" by Artist David Mullally — Monterey Conference Center, Alvarado Gallery, Portola Plaza, 5:30-7 p.m. Phone 646-3858 or 755-4913.

SATURDAY 3

THEATER

Gigi — Wharf Theater, Fisherman's Wharf, Monterey, 8:30 p.m., $15/8. Phone 649-2332 or 372-1373.

Allison Wonderland — Carmel High School Theater Co., Carmel High School, Little Theater, Room 2, Hwy. 1, Carmel, 8 p.m. Phone 659-8550.

MUSIC/DANCE

Savina Women's Folk Choir — Pacific Grove Art Center, 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove, 8 p.m., $12/10. Phone 373-7379.

Carmel Chamber Music Competition — Sunset Center Theater, San Carlos at Ninth, Carmel, 1 p.m. Phone 624-9541.

Santa Cruz Renaissance Singers — Carmel Mission Basilica, Rio Road, Carmel, 8 p.m. Phone 335-9506.

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MISCELLANEOUS

Rummage Sale — Blind & Visually Impaired Center, 225 Laurel Ave., Pacific Grove, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Phone 649-3505.

Rota Psychic Fair — Monterey Peninsula College, Student Center, 980 Fremont St., Monterey, 10 am.-6 p.m., $5. Phone 648-1003.

French Alliance Walk at Toro Park — Thrifty's, Del Monte Center, Munras Avenue, Monterey, 11:30 a.m. Phone 375-1801.

Jumble and Bake Sale — Beth's House, 514 Park St., Pacific Grove, 8 a.m.-noon. Phone 372-7625.

20th Anniversary Hospice Ball Benefit — Inn at Spanish Bay, Pebble Beach, 6:30 p.m., $150. Phone 642-2036.

California Equine Council Initiative Campaign — Redwings Horse Sanctuary, Hwy. 1 near Point Lobos, Carmel, 3 p.m. Phone 624-8464.

Paul Clayton's Booksigning of "Calling Crow Nation" — Waldenbooks, Del Monte Center, Munras Avenue, Monterey, noon-2 p.m. Phone 373-0987.

Rummage Sale — All Saints' Episcopal Church, Dolores at Ninth, Carmel, 9 a.m.-2:30 p.m., $1. Phone 624-3883.

Auditions for "The Young Company" — Hartnell College Performing Arts Center, The Western Stage, 156 Homestead Ave., Salinas. Phone 759-6037.

Carmel Valley Pool Opening — Carmel Valley Community Youth Center, Ford Road, Carmel Valley, daily. Phone 659-3983.

Historic Walking Tour of Carmel — Carmel Heritage House, Lincoln at Sixth, 1 p.m., $5. Phone 624-4447.

SUNDAY 4

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Joe Lucido Trio — Cibo, 301 Alvarado St., Monterey, 8:30-12:30 a.m., free. Phone 649-8151.

Concert in the Park — Jewell Park, Central at Forest, Pacific Grove, 1-4 p.m. Phone 373-3304.

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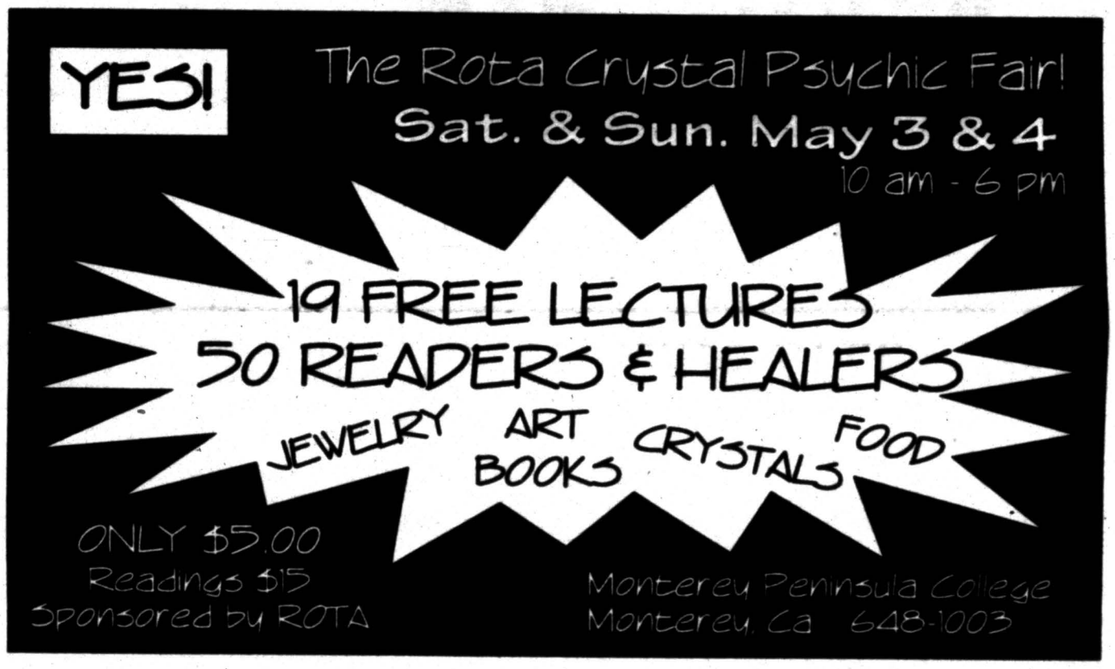

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The SPCA of Monterey County, The Carmel Pine Cone, as well as the business people represented on this page, present this animal feature. Visit the SPCA of Monterey County animal shelter at 1002 Monterey Salinas Highway 68, across from Laguna Seca Recreation area (6 miles east of the airport). Open 7 days a week: Mon. - Fri. 11 am to 5 pm and Sat. & Sun. 11 am to 4 pm. **Closed for adoptions only on all legal holidays. For additional information call 373-2631, ext. 233.**

1. QUEENSLAND MIX, M, 8 mos., Cage #8. MC#4965. "Velcro." Excellent, loving companion, great obedience potential, easy walker!

2. QUEENSLAND / HOUND, M, 4-5 yrs., Cage #9, MC#62893. "Pooh Bear." Easy going, well behaved, well trained!

3. BASENJI MIX, F , 1 yr., Cage #12, MC #62731. "Princess." Medium sized, gentle dog. Quiet and sweet.

NOTE: Animals pictured are subject to prior adoption or return to owner/companion. Adoptions are to qualified homes only. If these animals have been adopted, there are other adorable animals available... come on out!

BE FLEA-FREE, SAFELY!

Springtime brings with a resurgence of an old problem - fleas! Every pet has them and there are many products available to use to get rid of them, but which one is best?

The SPCA suggests before you any flea product on your pets, READ THE LABEL! Some products contain dangerous compounds which need to be handled properly for the safety of you and your pet and other products, such as "dips" can cause skin irritations and illness in animals. If you don't know which flea product to use, ask your veterinarian for recommendations on products or about what chemicals to avoid in any product that you buy. You may consider bypassing the powders and sprays altogether and try the new pill or single applications flea remedies that have shown great success!

Flea control is important so you can live comfortably with your pet, and some pets can have painful allergic reactions to flea bites, so get the facts about fleas, then get rid of them!

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Barnyard stages its second annual 'Garden Affair'

By THOMAS MICKLER

A SLIGHT BREEZE, warm sunshine and a cornucopia of color describes the second annual "A Garden Affair," which unfolded April 26 at The Barnyard.

Visitors were able to sample the culinary efforts of Barnyard restaurants, view the many planting, water garden and floral displays, listen to live music, have a book or poster signed by the authors and even enjoy a glass of wine.

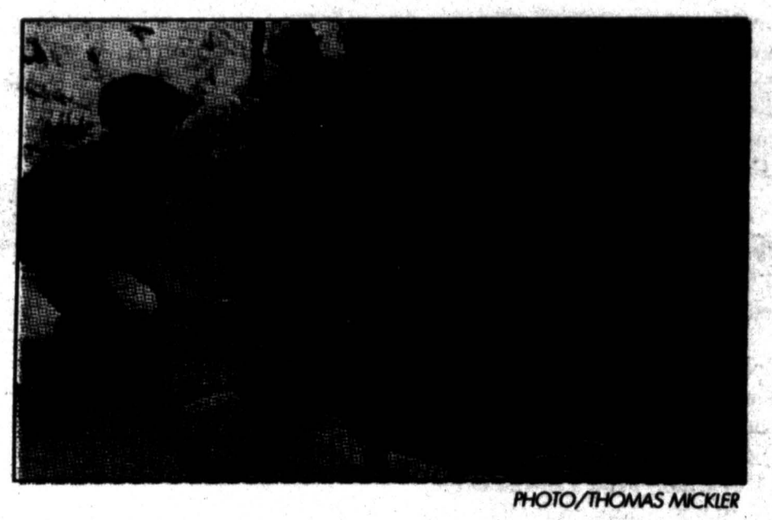
Garden Variety

By Thomas Mickler

As I walked around viewing the many displays, I couldn't help but think of the one thing I've learned from working in the gardening business: that there are so many different avenues to pursue it would take more than a lifetime to accomplish even half of them. Also the fact that if one or two areas don't interest you, just look around a little; I'll bet you find one you just love, because there are literally hundreds.

For the benefit of those not able to attend, I've chosen a few of the displays at the show to discuss. One of these may spark your interest.

Ever heard of "Ikebana"? This is the art of Japanese flower arranging. It is quite different from the standard flower arrangements we have come to know. These displays feature very few flowers or even just one, displayed in an asymmetrical triangular form. The ones on display showed various forms and vases for holding and displaying the flowers. One of the spectacular flowers in an arrangement was a six- to seven-inch wide flower called Protea. There is a local chapter (Ikebana International Monterey Bay Chapter) in case this is something that you would like to pursue. By the way, Protea can be grown in our location, but keep in mind, this is not a plant for beginners. There are some 150 species of these that grow in South Africa. Two species do well in our climate, *P. neriifoila* and *P. cynaroides* which consequently has flower heads 11 to 12 inches across.



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Sabatino Carnazzo produced a display that featured some of the many hardy water plants and some unusual and attractive Koi in a small water feature.

Looking for that perfect rose? There are so many new varieties today that it becomes harder to select that perfect old fashioned rose. Well, how about a rose that looks like the old fashioned ones with the large attractive flowers, but blooms longer and is actually fragrant? I ran across this hybrid, called "David Austin," which has

SEE GARDEN AFFAIR PAGE 20B

California Trends

By Bradley Inman

'California Trends,' a regular feature of the real estate section in The Carmel Pine Cone, will return next week.

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Pebble Beach

SERENITY, SECURITY & SPLENDOR $2,500,000
Gated and fenced for complete privacy,this estate is on 2 level acres on the 4th fairway of Cypress Point Golf Course. Features ocean views, 3 fireplaces, workshop, redient heating, 3+ car agrage, decking, and guest quarters.

HAVE "PLANS"? $695,000
Located in a lovely estate area, this lot is where your future days of quiet and privacy may be enjoyed.

UNLIMITED POTENTIAL $445,000
Expand on this 3 BR/2BA home with upgraded kitchen. Sited on an exceptional lot that backs up to a greenbelt – convenient to Spanish Bay and beaches.

IS LOCATION IMPORTANT? $419,000
Great home facing forested greenbelt. 3 BR/2BA home. Comfort and convenience. Warm living room, fireplace, efficient kitchen, family room, master suite/dressing area. Two-car garage. Easy care parcel and more.

HOME FOR TODAY $365,000
This charming 3 BR/2BA get-away is perfect for weekends or year-round living. Views of country club fairways in heart of Del Monte Forest. Ideal contemporary home.

CARE-FREE LIVING $225,000
Dotted by beautiful oaks, this lot is in a great location and close to all the amenities on the Peninsula.

Carmel/South Coast

SPECTACULAR BY NATURE $649,500
This 3BR/4+ BA contemporary backs up to a lush greenbelt on .33 acres and is perfect for entertaining. Large great room with dining room, wet bar, sunken living room with brick fireplace leading to expansive wrap-around deck from sliding glass doors. Kitchen has every amenity.

WHAT A LOCATION $615,000
Three blocks to ocean and/or shopping. This 3 BR/3BA home offers filtered ocean views on corner oversized lot. A home for vacations or year round living. Family room opens to large deck. Master suite on second floor with fireplace. New paint inside and out.

CARMEL HILLS + GUEST STUDIO $449,500
Updated and spacious, this extra nice ranch home is ready to move into! New tile counters in kitchen and guest bath, remote controlled gas fireplace, hardwood floor in family room and pretty views everywhere! Extra large lot, workshop or storage area, convenient location. All this plus a very sweet guest studio with its own kitchenette, bath, bedroom and living room!

DIAMOND IN THE ROUGH $425,000
You will enjoy the picturesque valley and ocean views from this 3BR/2BA home. Focus on Point Lobos, Fish Ranch, city and valley. Move-in condition, but could use a little T.L.C. Priced to sell as is.

NEW ON THE MARKET $385,000
Best condo location in downtown. Close to shops, Sunset Center, theater and restaurants. Immaculate 2BR/2BA, second level corner unit overlooking a tree-lined street. Underground parking, elevator and garden entrance to complex.

Monterey

ROOM FOR EVERYONE $439,000
Wonderful Monterey Bay view! Great floor plan for entertaining. Bonus room for a wine cellar or home office. Private courtyard. 2-car garage.

DEER FLATS PARK $415,000
Enjoy greenbelt views and the beauty of the area in this 3BR/2BA home with about 2250 flexible square feet of living space! This home features a great room and formal living room with a circular fireplace between, huge master bedroom, 10x20 solarium and large tile entry. Neutral carpets, wallpaper and window coverings throughout.

NEWER HOME W/BAY VIEWS $349,000
Great home close to shopping and the Aquarium. 2 stories w/bedrooms and 2 bathrooms downstairs. Upstairs has good-sized living room w/fireplace, kitchen w/family room and 1/2 bath, and a deck. Great floor plan.

CONVENIENCE AND PRIVACY $115,000
Cozy, comfy, private top floor end unit in desirable Golden Oaks complex. Very few stairs, extra window, 2 balconies, mirrored closet door. Pool, lovely gardens, close tro shopping and freeway. Ideal for singles, retirees, second home.

Pacific Grove

SUNRISE, SUNSET $650,000
Ocean galore at your front door of this 4BR/3BA home. All this from this tsturdy, large beach house situated on about 1/2 acre, affording privacy and serenity from sand dunes to ocean. Unusual opportunity. Call now.

INVEST IN SMALL TOWN U.S.A. $539,000
Let real estate work for you. These 2 BR/1 BA townhouse-style units may provide you with extra income. It's desirable and convenient location to shopping, dining and beaches make this investment profitable for the enterprising individual.

ROOM TO GROW $449,000
Looking for a granny unit? 2BR/2BA house on 1/3 acre has lovely 1BR/1BA guest house. Main house approx. 1420 sq. ft. and granny unit 600 sq. ft. Perfect mother-in-law unit, legal w/skylights, garden windows, laundry, fireplace and more. Main house has solarium, family room w/hardwopod floors, family kitchen, living room has corner brick fireplace.

VERSATILE AND UNUSUAL $425,000
Remodeled and mostly new construction, this 3BR/3BA home has a most unusual floorplan; sterling silver shower door, large indoor laundry, fenced and gated patio, indoor hot tub; wonderful kitchen; some skylights.

MAKE IT EASY ON YOURSELF $340,000
Move into a home you can enjoy from the very first moment. Easy to maintain, easy yard and easy living. All this and close to everything. 2-car garage, sprinkler system and drip system. Large patio area.

NEW ON THE MARKET $300,000
This charming fixer-upper is on 3 lots. The carport has a legal guest quarters in the back. Real opportunity for the creative buyer. Features include living room fireplace, patio, skylight, and separate dining room. Located near Washington Park and downtown.

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Contempo becomes Alain Pinel Realty

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

A FAMILIAR name in Carmel real estate is changing, but Judith Profeta, owner of Contempo Realty for the last two years, says the change to Alain Pinel Realty doesn't mean her firm will change the way it does business.

"Many of the people who come to Carmel to buy a home have been through the high-pressure corporate world, and they come here to recapture a simpler part of their lives. It's up to us to provide the small-town, personal touch that people want," Profeta said.

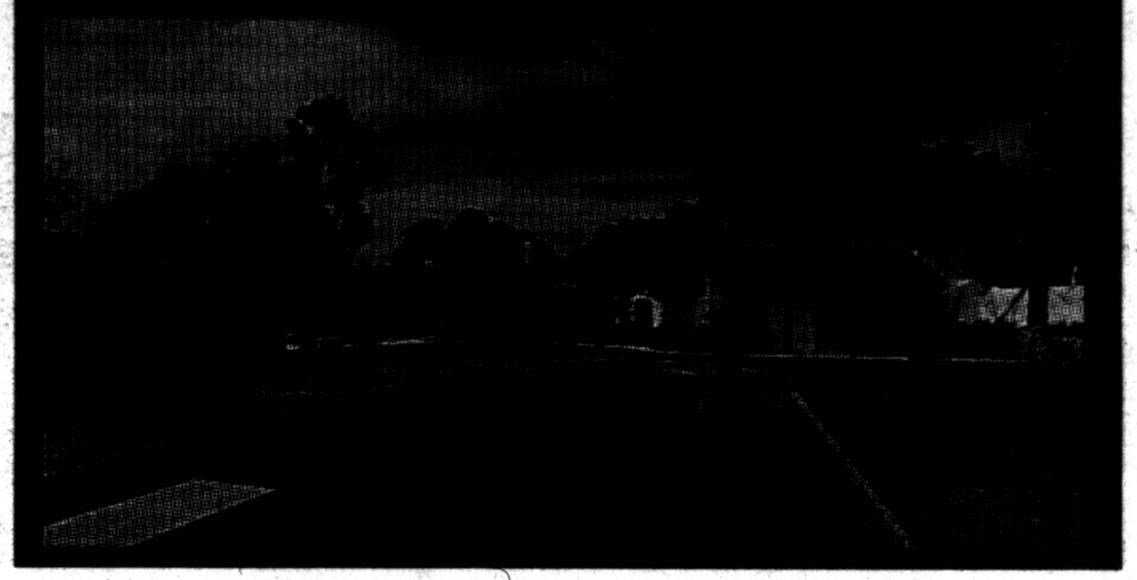
Craig Boswell, manager/broker, and Judith Profeta, owner/broker, hold their real estate company's new logo.

Alain Pinel is a family-owned real estate firm in the San Francisco Bay Area, specializing in high-end homes in communities like Atherton and Los Gatos. Profeta says that affiliating with Alain Pinel will provide a network of buyers for Carmel properties, at the same time allowing her to retain 100 percent ownership of her office — and run it with same values that she has always emphasized.

"We were happy with our affiliation with Contempo Realty — but then it was sold to Century 21. I also had inquiries from seven or eight other national real estate companies interested in buying us out. But I did not want to see my office become part of a national chain because experience has taught me that personal service and local control are an essential part of success in the very competitive Carmel real estate market, " Profeta said.

"Combining modern technology and a network of qualified buyers with that special Carmel touch — that's what we do best, and it's what we'll continue to do as Alain Pinel Realty," she added.

HOUSE OF THE WEEK



Fully restored hacienda awaits in Carmel Valley

THIS HUGH COMSTOCK original is situated on a prestigious, prime 8.5 acre site in Carmel Valley. Fully restored, the main house is approximately 3,950-square-feet with three bedrooms, three and one-half baths, library, tile and hardwood floors, state-of-the-art kitchen and rooms that open to courtyards and covered patios.

The 500-square-foot guest house features living room, bedroom, kitchen, bath and laundry. There is also a two-car garage with executive offices and half-bath, cabana with steam room, pool, spa, volleyball court, bunkhouse, paddocks, pasture, barn, tack room and stone wine cellar. A video on the property is available.

- **Address:** 9 Miramonte, Carmel Valley
- **Price:** $2.2 million
- **Contact:** Judith Profeta, Alain Pinel Realtors, San Carlos between Seventh and Eighth, Carmel. Call 626-3665.

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EQUESTRIAN PROPERTY $2,200,000
50 acre horse ranch located in sunny Carmel Valley. A horse-lover's paradise. A 3BR/1BA home on property is included. There is an all-weather arena, 24 paddocks, 8-stall barn, tack room + 5 pastures.

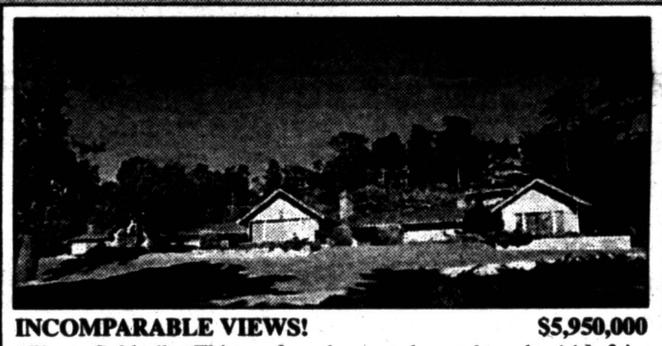
SUNNY LOCALE $699,900
Beautiful contemporary 3BR/2.5BA home overlooking Quail Lodge golf course. Spacious rooms, cathedral ceilings, open floor plan are inviting. Enter through a private courtyard. Master bath has large Jacuzzi tub.

EXPANSIVE VIEWS $649,000
You'll find privacy and elegance in this two story custom designed 4BR/2.5BA home in the Carmel Valley Ranch gated community. Deck allows you to enjoy the warm sunlight as well as the golf and valley views.

START BUILDING YOUR DREAM $485,000 - $685,000
Approved plans, permits and water are available for two of the parcels. These are prime private lots with views of Point Lobos and gorgeous sunsets. Revitalize your mind and body in your dream home set among the natural beauty of the area.

SEE FOREVER $595,000
This comfortable home is located in "Carmel Views" with awesome views of Point Lobos and Carmel Bay. An open kitchen and family room open to a deck. Besides 3 large bedrooms and 2.5 baths, there is a bonus room for an office, etc. Located in a quiet location near shopping.

C.V. RANCH OAKSHIRE $145,000 - $224,970
When only the most extraordinary site will do...Oakshire is perfectly private. Distinguished home sites set amidst the extraordinary natural beauty of The Ranch. These secluded single family lots provide excellent river, mountain and valley views. Views that last a lifetime.



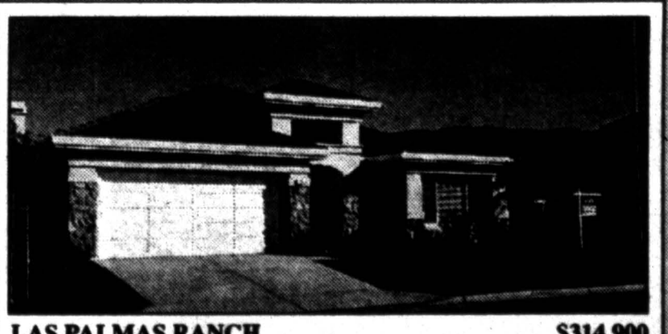
INCOMPARABLE VIEWS! $5,950,000
"Three Gables" – This preferred estate, located on the 14th fairway of the Pebble Beach Golf Links has a picturesque view of Carmel Beach and Bay including Point Lobos, the Pacific Ocean and Stillwater Cove. 4,700+ sq. ft. gracious 4BR/4.5BA single level home on 1.8 acres includes guest house and artist studio.

CARMEL HIGHLANDS MASTERPIECE $1,295,000
An elegant blending of "old-world" charm and contemporary appointments, this 4BR/4+BA home offers breathtaking ocean views. With French/English county style touches, this home offers 2 fireplaces, a slate view deck and artist's studio.

OASIS ON SUNSET $689,000
This 5BR/4+BA home is located on a forested 1/2 acre parcel w/legal guest house. Enjoy creative pursuits in the workshop. The gazebo or hot tub provide a relaxing retreat in the surrounding natural beauty. Conveniently located near shopping, beach and dining in Pacific Grove.

GOLFER'S DELIGHT $475,000
This custom built contemporary offers approx. 2100 sq. ft. on a beautifully landscaped lot. Ideal for golfers, it is convenient to MPCC in Pebble Beach and has separate golf cart storage. The kitchen and family room open onto a private deck and the garden beyond.

ATTENTION CONTRACTORS! $375,000
If you like challenges, let your imagination run wild in restoring this 3BR/2BA home when water is available. You may also build on the separate lot perched high on the hill to take advantage of the serene views of Fish Ranch. Super value on this .85 acre Carmel lot. Two legal lots of record.



LAS PALMAS RANCH $314,900
Great opportunity to buy an almost-new home. Upgraded carpet, tile, front landscaping, plus all window coverings. Fabulous neutral colors, vaulted ceiling and oak cabinets, family room fireplace. Master bedroom has large sitting room. Most popular single-level plan.

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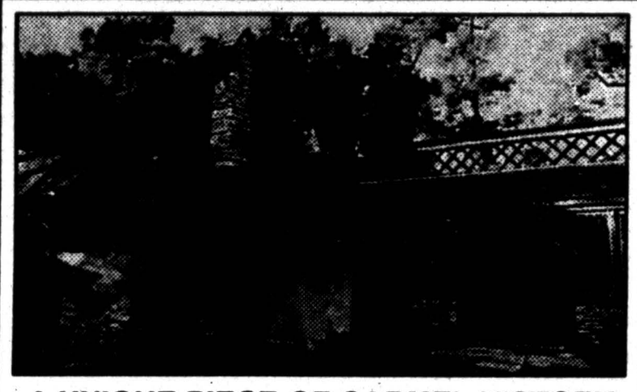


A UNIQUE PIECE OF CARMEL HISTORY
An original fairy tale Comstock cottage. On 2 lots. One of the most unique homes in Carmel. $695,000.

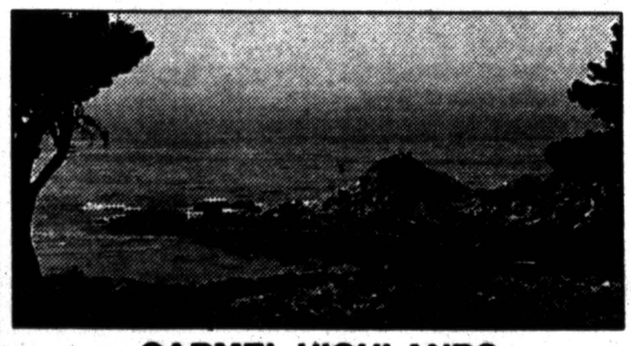
RIVERWOOD UNIT
Great floor plan. 1 story. 2 Bdrms, 2 baths. Private patios. Near shopping. $245,000.

MISSION FIELDS CARMEL
A nice, 3-bedroom, 2-bath home. Large family room. Brick fireplace. Large corner lot. $289,000.

FRESHLY REMODELED CARMEL HOME
A comfortable 2-bedroom home. Warm wood interior. Brick fireplace. $314,750.

CARMEL CINDERELLA
Solid 3-bdrm, 2-bath home with wood floors, fireplace. 2 blocks to the Plaza. $375,000.

HATTON FIELDS
Spacious 3-bdrm, 2-bath home. An oversized parcel on a cul-de-sac. Family room/office with fireplace. $419,000.



CARMEL HIGHLANDS CONTEMPORARY VIEW HOME
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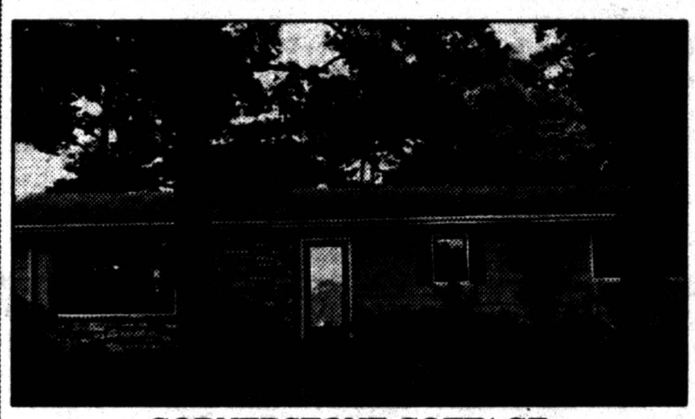
CARMEL SPOTLIGHT



CORNERSTONE COTTAGE
The liberal use of stone on the exterior and pathways of this sturdy Carmel cottage gives it charm & character. Located on an unusually sunny lot, the south facing home boasts 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths and a RARE 2-car garage. Large living room has built-in bookcases, fireplace and French doors leading to a secluded deck. $365,000.

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Sat. 1-4, Coldwell Banker

3 NE Lincoln & 2nd, $599,000
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2645 Riberra, $1,600,000
Sun. 2-5, Joan Lettieri, Remax

CARMEL HIGHLANDS

2700 Mal Paso Ln, $630,000
Sat. 2-4, Mitchell Group

9 Sonoma Ln, $479,000
Sat. 2-4, Contempo Realty

169 Van Ess, $1,200,000
Sun. 11-1, Del Monte Realty

9548 Maple Ct, $349,500
Sun. 1-3, Burchell House Realty

Wawona Rd, $249,500
Sun. 1-4, Contempo Realty

497 Country Club Dr, $379,900
Sun. 2-6, Contempo Realty

334 El Caminito Rd, $455,000
Sun. 1-4, Contempo Realty

38 Encina, $699,000
Sun. 1-4, Contempo Realty

7 Quail Canyon Ln, $795,000
Sat. 1-4, Sun. 1-4, Contempo Realty

23 La Rancheria, $895,000
Sun. 2-5, Contempo Realty

8008 River Pl, $699,900
Sun. 1-4, Coldwell Banker

25180 Pine Hills Dr, $595,000
Sun. 2-4, Coldwell Banker

50 Via Milpitas, $459,000
Sun. 2-4, Coldwell Banker

9500 Center St #50, $179,500
Sat. 1:30-4, Coldwell Banker

1084 Rosita Rd, $325,000
Sun. 1-4, Contempo Realty

282 Sirena Del Mar, $282,000
Sat. 1-12, Sun. 1-4, Contempo Realty

3135 Salinas Ave, $239,000
Sat 2-4, Del Monte Realty

3181 De Forest Rd #2, $318,000
Sun. 1:30-4, Del Monte Realty

MONTEREY

861 David Ave, $189,900
Sun. 1-4, Contempo Realty

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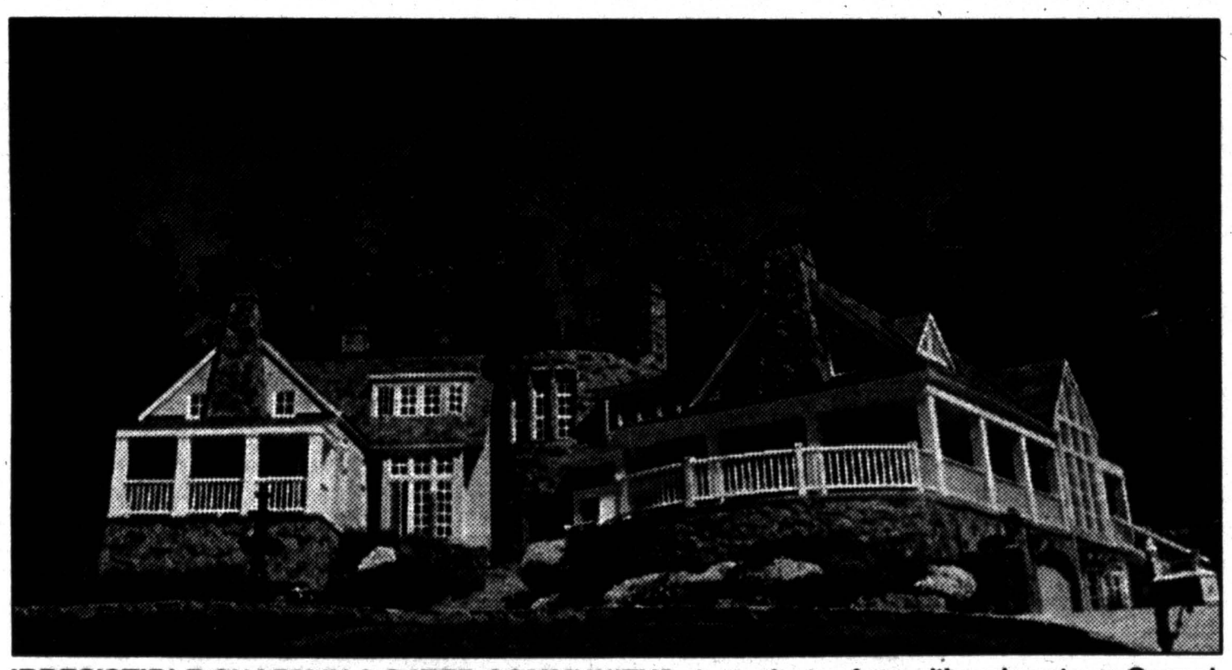

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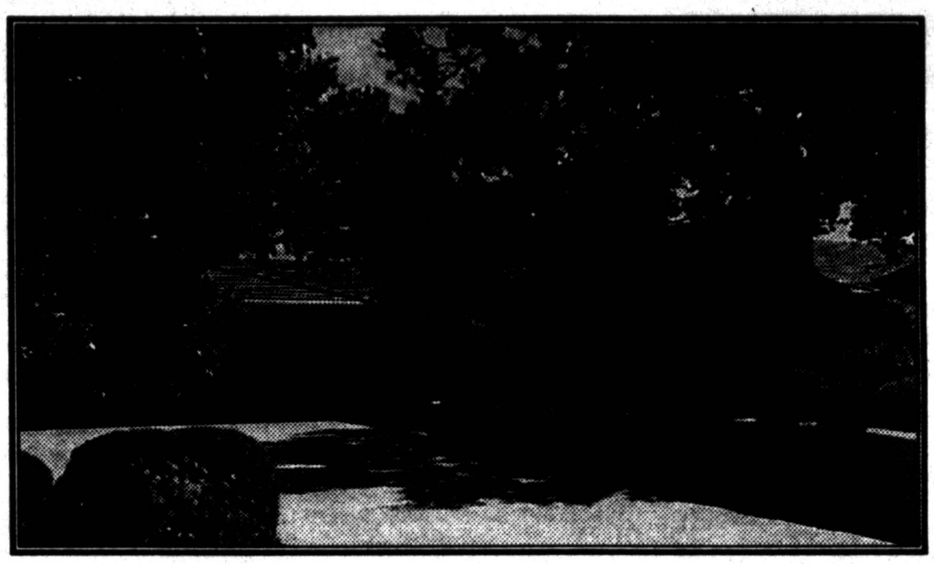

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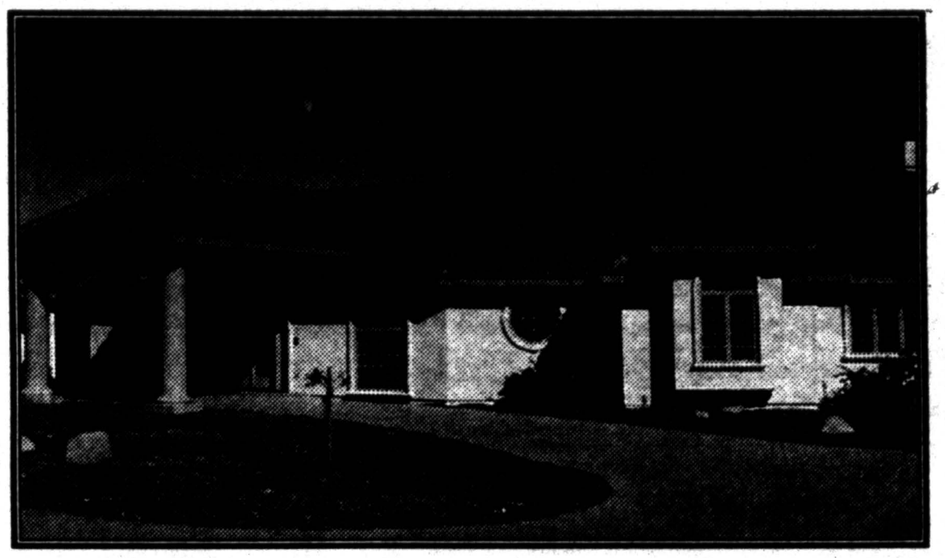

SALINAS-MONTEREY HWY. • $849,900

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CARMEL VALLEY • $2,200,000

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Sincerely,

Judith Profeta

Judith Profeta, Owner/Broker
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CARMEL VALLEY • $729,000

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Monterey

125 Surf Way #422, $449,000
Sat. 12-2, Del Monte Realty

1198 Castro Rd, $369,000
Sat. 2-4, Del Monte Realty

#9 Tanglewood Pl, $197,000
Sat. 2-4, Del Monte Realty

110 Don Dahvee, $695,000
Sun. 2-4, Del Monte Realty

10 Windsor Rise, $439,000
Sun. 2-4, Coldwell Banker

4 Elk Run , $415,000
Sat. 1-4, Coldwell Banker

Monterey

12 La Playa, $399,950
Sat. 2-4, Coldwell Banker

903 Archer St, $349,000
Sun. 11-1, Coldwell Banker

663 Alice St, $269,000
Sat. 2:30-4:30, Coldwell Banker

30 Monte Vista Dr #3201, $115,000
Sat 1-4, Coldwell Banker

25820 Paseo El Cajon, $775,000
Sun. 2-4, Del Monte Realty

Monterey

11719 Saddle Rd, $762,500
Sat. 2-4, Mitchell Group

25835 Paseo Real Rd, $849,900
Sat. 1-5, Sun. 1-5, Contempo Realty

17596 River Run Rd, $337,000
Sun. 2-5, Coldwell Banker

Pacific Grove

160 17 Mile Dr, $595,000
Sat. 2-4, Del Monte Realty

1017 Jewell, $524,000
Sat. 1-4, Sun. 12-2, Del Monte Realty

810 Lighthouse Ave #201, $230,000
Sat. 12-2, Del Monte Realty

770 Junipero, $399,000
Sun. 2-4:30, Del Monte Realty

313 Walnut, $229,000
Sun. 2-4, Del Monte Realty

862 Seventeen Mile Dr, $449,000
Sat. 1-4, Coldwell Banker

410 Walnut, $425,000
Sun. 2-4, Coldwell Banker

310 Grove Acre, $385,000
Sun. 2-4:30, Coldwell Banker

1115 Melton Pl, $380,000
Sat. 1:30-3:30, Coldwell Banker

375 Seventeen Mile Dr, $369,900
Sun. 2-4, Coldwell Banker

710 2nd St, $365,000
Sun. 1-3, Coldwell Banker

813 Day Cir, $364,500
Sun. 1:30-3:30, Coldwell Banker

Pebble Beach

3307 17 Mile Dr #7, $1,399,000
Sat. 2-4, Del Monte Realty

1471 Padre, $1,495,000
Sat. 1-3, Del Monte Realty

3110 Hermitage, $475,000
Sun. 2-4, Del Monte Realty

3187 Pamero Way, $1,750,000
Sun. 1-3, Del Monte Realty

3363 17 mile Dr, $1,295,000
Sun. 2-4. Del Monte Realty

1284 Portola Rd, $2,750,000
Sun. 1-4, Coldwell Banker

2942 Birdrock Rd, $895,000
Sun. 1-4, Coldwell Banker

1080 Wranglers Tr, $475,000
Sun. 2-4, Coldwell Banker

1052 Majella Rd, $445,000
Sun. 1-4, Coldwell Banker

1099 Ortega Rd, $425,000
Sun. 2-4, Coldwell Banker

3065 Bird Rock Rd, $365,000
Sun. 11-1, Coldwell Banker

34 Shepherds Knoll, $259,000
Sun. 1-4, Coldwell Banker

2853 Coyote Rd, $479,500
Sun. 2-4, Burchell House Properties

Pebble Beach

10 Shepherds Knoll, $239,500
Sat. 2-5, Sun. 2-5, Contempo Realty

1063 Rodeo Rd, $489,500
Sat. 2-5, Contempo Realty

2876 Coyote Rd, $729,000
Sat. 2-4, Del Monte Realty

Seaside

177 Havana, $168,500
Sat. 2-4, Del Monte Realty

1237 Darwin St, $189,000
Sun. 1-4, Coldwell Banker

1757 Juarez St, $164,000
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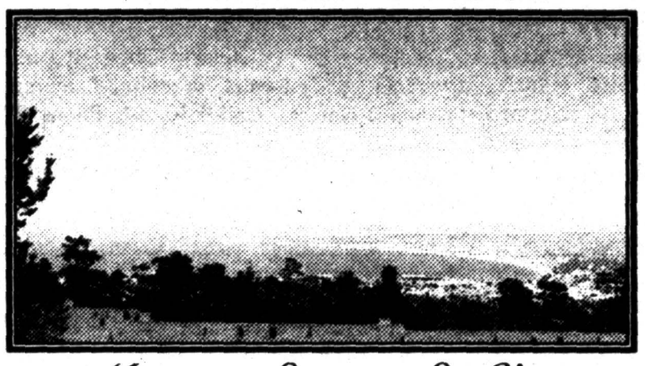

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CALENDAR

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LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

Big Band Swing & Latin Dance Fundamentals Workshop — Carmel American Legion Post, Dolores at Eighth, Carmel, 5 p.m. Phone 646-8103.

MISCELLANEOUS

Spring Celebration Through Dancing, Arts, Writing & Earth Rituals — Carmel Lagoon Beach, Carmel, 1-5 p.m. Phone $10/3. Phone 685-0201.

Rota Psychic Fair — Monterey Peninsula College, Student Center, 980 Fremont St., Monterey, 10 am.-6 p.m., $5. Phone 648-1003.

Cigarette Clean-Up Campaign "Kickin' Butts" — Devendorf Park, Ocean at Junipero, Carmel, 1 p.m. Phone 626-8681.

Dessert & Wine Pairing — American Institute of Wine and Food Monterey Chapter, Carmel Valley, $25. Phone 622-9926.

Garden Tour — Piccadilly Park, Dolores at Ocean, Carmel, 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m., $20/15.

Garden Party — Tor House & Hawk Tower, 36304 Ocean View Ave., Carmel, 2-5 p.m., $10/8. Phone 624-1813.

American Cancer Society Benefit "Claude's Tea" — The Grove Homescapes, 472 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove, Phone 656-0864.

Salinas Valley Memorial Hospital's Children's Miracle Network Benefit "Taste for Tots" — Custom House Plaza, Monterey, 11 a.m.-6 p.m., $10/5. Phone 7755-0777.

Cinco de Mayo Festival — Seaside City Hall, 440 Harcourt St., Monterey, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Phone 899-6270.

APRON STRINGS...

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a time for meeting with friends and making new acquaintances. The mainstay of these mealtime gatherings is chef Gayle Cureton and her two kitchen aids. Gayle cooks from her heart for 130 to 170 daily guests, creating hearty, well-balanced meals.

She began her career working at the Mission Ranch in the early '80s, then cooked briefly for the Foundation before moving along to the Thunderbird Bookshop's restaurant. Now she is back, heading up the Foundation's kitchen, her dream job she calls it.

Each day's luncheon begins with a choice of soup such as chicken barley or tomato lentil. The day I lunched there I picked the following:

Brandy Tomato Soup

1 1-lb., 14 oz. can diced tomatoes
1 1-lb., 13 oz. can tomato sauce
1 8-oz. can tomato paste
8 cups chicken broth, bouillon or water
2 stick of butter
1 large onion, diced
3 ribs of celery, diced
3 carrots, peeled and diced
2 bay leaves
1 Tbsp. minced garlic
3 Tbsp. basil
2 Tbsp. oregano
1 Tbsp. ground cloves
2 Tbsp. brown sugar
3/4 cup brandy
1 cup cream
Salt and pepper to taste

Melt butter in soup pot. Saute onion and garlic until translucent. Add carrots, celery and spices, stirring to release flavors. Pour in enough broth to cover vegetables and simmer 10 minutes. Stir in tomato paste followed by diced tomatoes, tomato sauce and remaining broth. Season with salt and pepper, heat and blend in sugar, stirring to dissolve. Add brandy and cream just before serving.

Serves 8 to 10.

GARDEN TOUR...

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The club has a goal of $140,000 to manage the park rehabilitation, and has raised more than $50,000 to date through private and foundation donations, with the remainder to come through grant applications and fundraisers, such as Sunday's affair.

The seven private gardens and homes on the weekend garden tour are all located south of Ocean Avenue to Carmel Point. Because the tour is self-guided, The Carmel Rotary Club will direct traffic as well as provide surveillance.

Carmel sculptor Eleen Auvil has loaned eight metal sculptures which will be displayed in the gardens. Cut flowers to decorate the home interiors will be donated by Tiger-Lilly Florist and will be arranged by club members; formal arrangements will be given by both Tiger Lilly and Flowers Limited florists; Shop in The Garden will provide metal garden ornaments; Whittaker's, Villeroy & Boch and Pierre Deux French Country will supply table settings and linens; and Alison Asa is donating her Executive Secretarial Service.

The following Carmel gardens and some homes on the tour belong to Jean and William Mitchell, Hallie and Brad Dow, Peggy Hubert, Ann and Richard Walbert, Margaret Graham, Maureen and James Sanders, and Nancy and Paul John.

Refreshments will be served at Piccadilly Park to tour ticket holders.

MONDAY 5

MUSIC/DANCE

Pianist John Garvey — Carmel Woman's Club, San Carlos at Ninth, Carmel, 2 p.m., $3 nonmembers. Phone 624-3379.

LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

"Dreams: What Can They Mean, If Anything? — Monterey Peninsula Friends of C.G. Jung, 284 Foam St., Monterey, 7 p.m., weekly. Reservations: 649-4018.

MISCELLANEOUS

Monterey Bay TaleSpinners — Monterey Public Library, Community Room, 625 Pacific St., Monterey, 7 p.m., free. Phone 648-3160.

TUESDAY 6

MUSIC/DANCE

Greek Folk Dance Classes — Sunset Cultural Center, Room 10, San Carlos at Ninth, Carmel, all ages, partners not required, beginners 6:30 p.m., intermediates and advanced 7:30-9:30, $4. Phone 375-2549.

Al James Band — Cibo, 301 Alvarado St., Monterey, 9-12:30 a.m., free. Phone 649-8151.

Spring Concert — Monterey Peninsula College, Music Hall, 980 Fremont St., Monterey, 8 p.m., free. Phone 626-9007.

MISCELLANEOUS

Carmel City Council Meeting — Carmel City Hall, Council Chambers, Monte Verde at Ocean, Carmel, 3:30 p.m. Phone 624-2781.

WEDNESDAY 7

MUSIC/DANCE

Monterey International Folk Dancers — Neighborhood Center, Lighthouse at Dickman, Monterey, 7-9:30 p.m., $1, all ages, partners not required. Phone 624-6060.

Roger Eddy Band — Cibo, 301 Alvarado St., Monterey, 9-12:30 a.m., free. Phone 649-8151.

LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

Poems and Essays by Lin Jensen Elliot Roberts — Monterey Peninsula College, Lecture Forum 102, 980 Fremont St., Monterey, 1:30 p.m., free. Phone 624-5885.

"Relationship Skills in Functional Families" by Tom and Sarah Bishop —

The Crossroads, Community Room, Rio Road, Carmel, 7-9 p.m., free. Phone 624-8110.

"A View of Motherhood Through the Bay Window" by Sharon Randall — First Presbyterian Church, 501 El Dorado St., Monterey, 7 p.m., free. Phone 373-3031.

MISCELLANEOUS

Mother's Day Sale — Mud People Ceramic Co-op, Monterey Peninsula College, Student Center, 980 Fremont St., Monterey, 9:30 a.m.-9 p.m.

Carmel Valley Chamber and Carmel Business Association Mixer — First National Bank. Phone 659-4000.

Duplicate Bridge — All Saints' Church, Lincoln at Ninth, Carmel, 1 p.m., $4.25. Phone 625-4307.

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Key Muffler Service, a long-established Salinas business, has a new owner and expansion plans are in the works. Key Muffler is located at 145 Monterey St. at the corner of Monterey and Gabilan streets in Oldtown Salinas.

Chris Kulvicki acquired the business in March. His shop specializes in exhaust system products, custom or stock, including a large selection of custom chrome exhaust tips. The garage services cars, trucks and recreational vehicles. Soon to be added are such services as fuel injection cleaning, alignment, oil changes and brakes.

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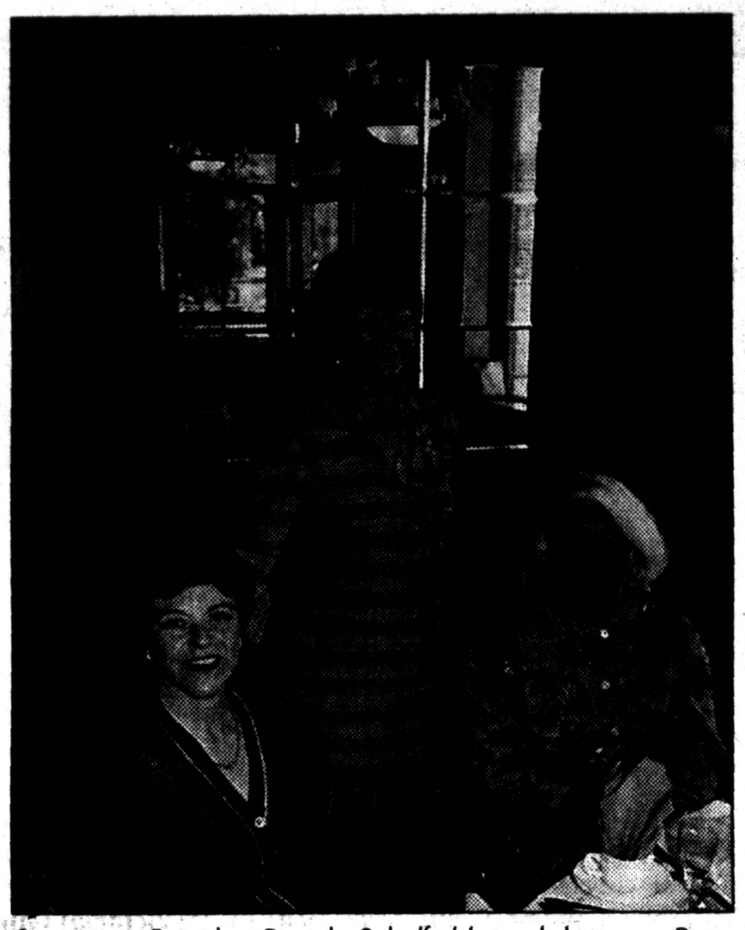
Soroptimists deliver cash windfall to nonprofit groups

Beth Crawford and Malka Forman of the University of California/San Francisco Breast Cancer Clinic surround Yvonne McBride, Soroptimist chair of service grants, at the Soroptimist Service Grant luncheon at Rancho Cañada. The university received the largest grant of $15,000.



Soroptimist President Pamela Scholfield stands between Betty Sue Naegele and Marlene McCaughey, who represented the Monterey Suicide Prevention & Crisis Center. The event was the Soroptimist Service Grants luncheon presented April 23 at Rancho Cañada.

THERE WERE NO dry eyes in the Merienda Room of Rancho Cañada during luncheon April 23. Powerful emotions swept this gathering of the Soroptimist International of Carmel Bay Service Grants. Why? These Soroptimists, most of them local professionals, gave almost $60,000 to 19 nonprofit organizations. Representatives of the nonprofits overwhelmed all with their stories of tragedy and success.

Betty Sue Naegele of The Suicide Prevention and Crisis Center, spoke of the 52 people who took their own lives in Monterey County last year. The youngest victim was 15 years old, the oldest 87. The Center receives 4,000 calls a year. Naegele informed a hushed audience that the grant will help keep the Crisis Line open 24 hours, aid The Survivors of Sudden Death Program and educate the community to spot signs of depression in people of all ages.

Lou Burdick-Hartman, president of the YWCA Battered Women's Shelter, spoke of women who arrive "with only the clothes on their backs." Representatives from other groups related similar tales.

Social Spotlight

By Dodie Barkley

A most delightful grant was given to the Carmel Unified School District Music Boosters. **Bill Pardue**, Boosters co-president, told members and guests that the grant goes to scholarships for graduating students and to help the jazz and concert bands. Pardue received instant applause when he informed us that both bands won a silver medal at a national contest, and they also won the award for best community spirit.

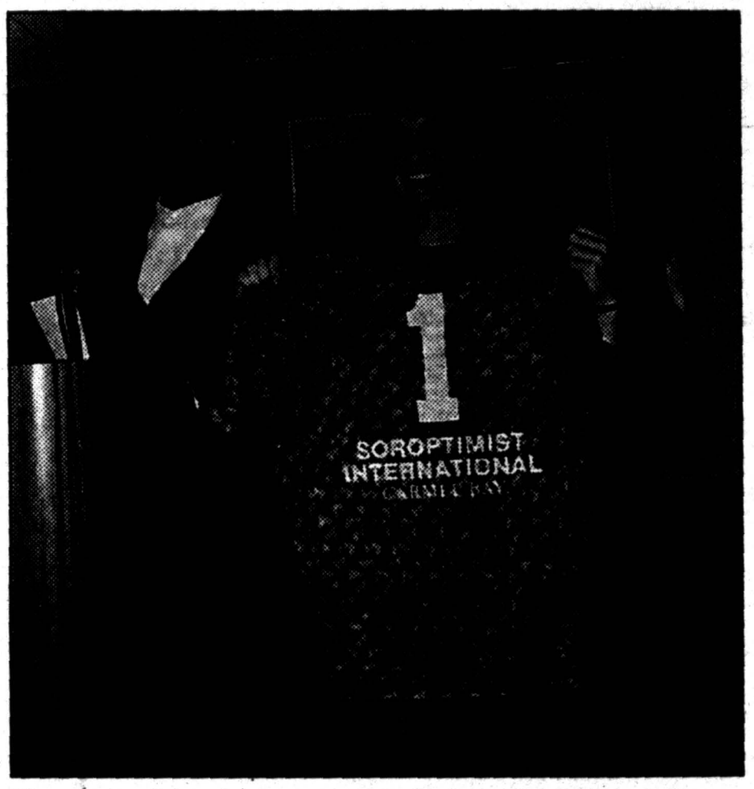
"The Carmel Youth Center will use its grant for many needed alterations to the building and for programs that will present alternatives to youths in trouble," said Executive Director **Pat Lenz**.

Soroptimists International of Carmel Bay has donated approximately $204,000 over the years to local nonprofits such as the YWCA, The Boys and Girls Club of the Monterey Peninsula, and the University of California at San Francisco Foundation for Breast Cancer Research.

Yvonne McBride, chair of the grants committee, told the audience that the funds this year came from three primary events: The AT&T Pro-Am Volunteer Party, ($8,000) The Women's Golf Clinic ($23,000) and LaGala Seca ($29,000) which is carried out in conjunction with SCRAMP each year.

Present was **Lee Chamberlin,** who originated the Carmel Soroptimist group in 1984, as was the only honorary member, **Margye Neswitz.**

It's hard to describe the love and dedicated work these women give to causes like the above, but Chamberlin told me after the luncheon was over how very proud she was of the group. Well, Lee, from what I can see, they all turned out to be just like you!



The Carmel Youth Center's Pat Lenz and Stephanie Quinn show off a Soroptimist International sport shirt.

■ **United Way surpasses its 1996/97 goal!**

When the United Way of the Monterey Peninsula called us to celebrate the success of the 1996/97 campaign at the fabulous Carmel digs of **Morley Brown,** we went with bells on!

Morley, and **Rob Pappani,** United Way Campaign co-chairs, along with **Bob Mulford**, United Way board president, threw a beautiful cocktail party and dinner April 18 for all the campaign volunteers who realized 106 percent of their goal. Another thrilling moment of the evening was when the announcement was made that both Brown and Pappani will again co-chair the campaign for 1997/98.

Brown, who is on the board of 14 nonprofit organizations and a member of 40 committees, often leaves her home at 6 a.m. and does not return until 10 that night, thus missing both breakfast and dinner. Pappani is a dynamic co-chair also, and you never see either sitting down — they are always working the crowd with admonitions to attend one function or another. **Lee Early,** who was seated next to me, whispered, "Look at Morley. Do you ever see her sit down and eat with her guests?" I only had to think about that for a second before answering, "No."

They are both powerful community advocates for the many charitable organizations they volunteer for.

The United Way is the organization

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United Way Second Vice President Bonnie Lewtschuk, incoming president Larry Levine and Marti Mulford enjoy a few moments at Morley Brown's home where the United Way feted its volunteers, Friday, April 18.

Bob Mulford and Morley Brown share the spotlight at Brown's home where the United Way toasted its volunteers Friday, April 18 with a lovely dinner.

Laurence P. Horan, Monterey County Bar Association 1996 Phil Gibson Award winner; the Honorable Justice Ming Chin and Judge Jonathan R. Price attended the 13th annual Chief Justice Gibson Award Presentation Dinner Friday, April 25 at La Playa Hotel in Carmel.

Katherine Stoner, 1997 recipient of the Phil Gibson Award, chats with Gibson's widow, Victoria, at the Monterey County Bar Association dinner last Friday.

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that gives much-needed financial support to more than 27 charities in Monterey County, and President Mulford said it all — "We set a high goal and we *beat* it!" Amen, Bob.

■ Monterey County Bar Association bestows honors

Did you know that there are approximately 700 lawyers in Monterey County, both active and retired? And, that more than 425 are members of the Monterey County Bar Association?

Well, it was quite a remarkable evening, being with upwards of 100 attorneys at the 13th Annual Chief Justice Gibson Award Presentation Dinner, held by the Association Friday, April 25 at gorgeous La Playa Hotel in Carmel.

Two lawyers seated at our table spoke of **Rose Bird**, chief justice of the California Supreme Court from 1977 to 1986. Attorney **Lloyd Lowrey** told us that he worked with her when he was at Stanford, where she taught him something he'll never forget — "Your greatest strength can also be your greatest weakness."

Attorney **Douglas Oldfield**, who clerked for Bird when she was a justice on the California Supreme Court, found her to be caring, but distant. We all decided that Bird might have been distant because she was the only woman on the bench at that time and constantly under attack from the media.

Following a delicious repast, **Wendy Buck**, president of the Association, welcomed members and guests, remarking, "This is a very special occasion, the jewel in the crown." Buck was referring to **Katherine Stoner,** winner of the Chief Justice Gibson Award for 1997. The award is given to an attorney who best exemplifies the unselfish community spirit and high legal and ethical standards of **Phil Gibson**, who served as chief justice of the California Supreme Court from 1940 to 1964. He wrote 668 majority opinions which have affected laws in each of these United States. He is lauded by many lawyers as being another Oliver Wendell Holmes.

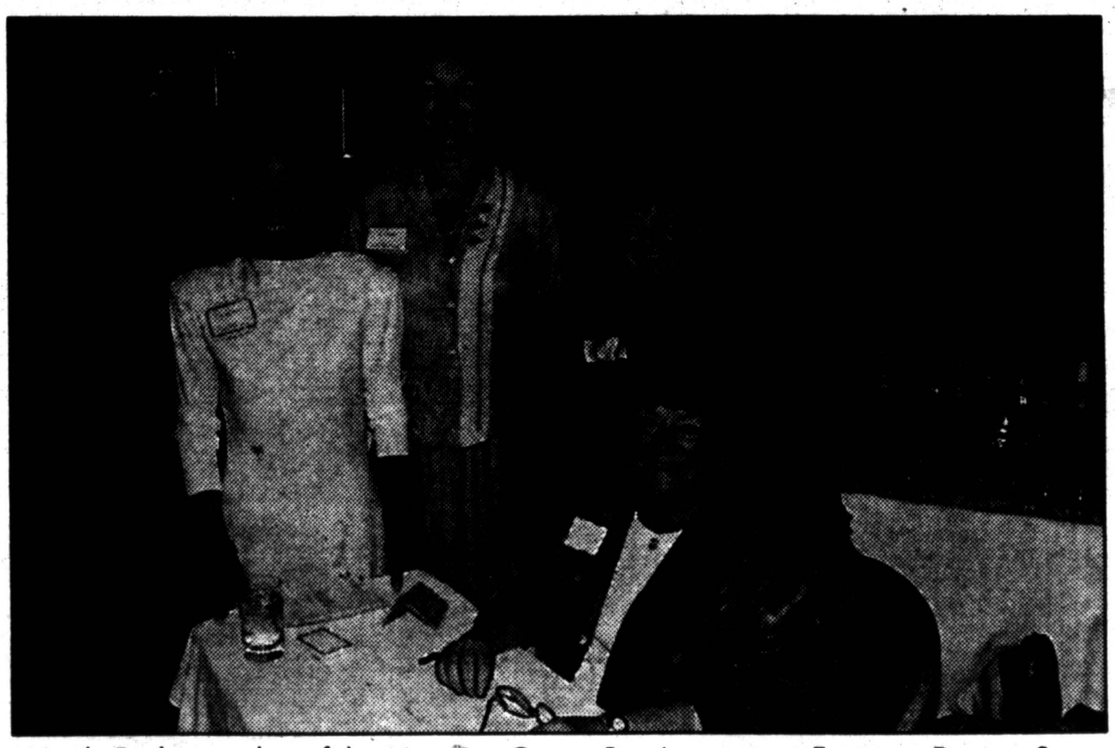
The Honorable Judge **Jonathan R. Price** introduced guest speaker, The Honorable **Ming W. Chin**, California Supreme Court justice. Justice Chin spoke about his mentor, Bernie Witkin, who published a series of books on California law.

Attorney **Laurence P. Horan,** 1996 recipient of the Gibson Award, presented the plaque to Stoner, saying that she defies imitation. When Stoner rose to receive the award, she was met with a standing ovation. Stoner spoke with humility, admonishing lawyers to keep charges low to help poor people. And, again, when she stepped down from the podium, people stood up and kept applauding her. It was quite touching to watch her react to their admiration.

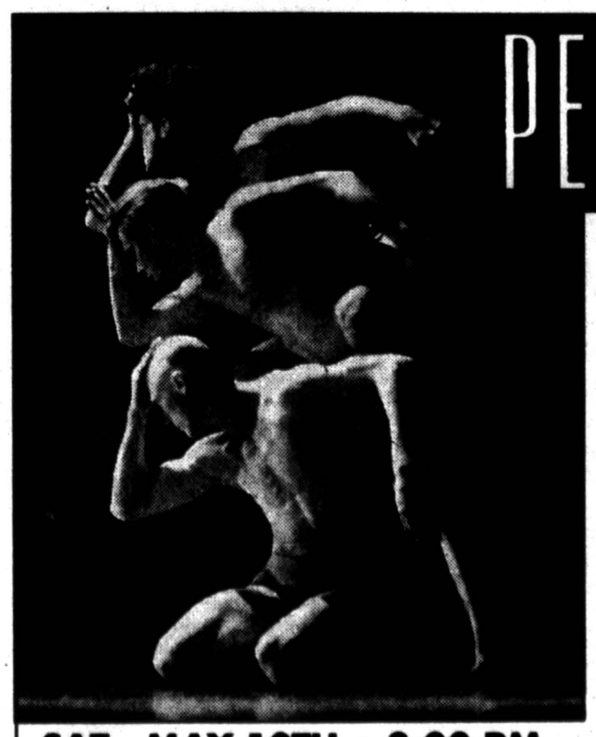
Susan Goodrich, the Association's executive director, told us that she admires the lawyers in the Association because most of them do so much volunteer work.

It was good to see **Fran Farina, Rachel Saunders** and **Sue** and **Rod Dewar**, and, of course, Mrs. **Phil (Victoria) Gibson**, widow of the magnificent lawgiver, Gibson, whose great spirit the Monterey County Bar Association celebrates each year.

Dodie Barkley's 'Social Spotlight' column appears every week in Peninsula. If you have news of social activities, contact Dodie at 626-0514 or write to her in care of Peninsula, P.O. Box G-1, Carmel 93921.



Wendy Buck, president of the Monterey County Bar Association; Executive Director Susan Goodrich; Laura King and Judy Allen welcome guests to the 13th Annual Chief Justice Gibson Award Dinner.



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many different varieties, at the Village Garden nursery display.

Do you like the soft sounds of water trickling down a waterfall, or the sound of a stream as it gently enters a body of water? If so, you're in luck, because you can create a similar environment in your backyard. But you don't have to stop there, you can add fish or a showy water garden to this "natural" scenery. A young man named Sabatino Carnazzo started out doing this kind of project in his own backyard and ended up turning this interest into a growing business. His display at the show featured some of the many hardy water plants and some unusual and attractive Koi.

A lot of hard work and ingenuity went into a project headed up by Margot Grych. This was the "Windmill Color Wheel Cutting Garden Display." This display featured a windmill pattern, made up of six individual wooden boxes, each resembling a piece of the windmill. Each of these boxes focused on a different color. At the center of the windmill was a water feature. Grych explains her ideas, saying, "The symbol of a windmill signifies unity of separate parts working together."

The windmill color wheel featured cut flower displays done by professionals and amateurs, but all the displays were outstanding. The designs featured these colors, followed by the designers: Pink (Margot Grych), Blue (Karen Runyan), Orange (Kimberli Phillips), Purple (Caitlin McKeon), Yellow (Sue Prindle) and finally Red, which I had the opportunity to do. I wanted to also bring out that I learned something new at this project. I have never been a fan of yellow flowers, but this display really changed my outlook on how gorgeous all the yellows, both flower and foliage can look together. Good work, Sue!

The beneficiary of this garden show, as mentioned before, is the Monterey Bay Master Gardeners program. This program is for anyone who would like to learn more about landscape gardening, from the pro to someone who doesn't know a pansy from a palm tree. It's designed to teach you the fundamentals and beyond, and it's not cost-

The David Austin rose is a hybrid which has an old-fashioned look and delicious fragrance.

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A lot of people were on hand to view the displays, listen to pleasant music and sample the talents of the local chefs, all this amidst the already superb gardens of the Barnyard. From the smiles on the faces of those attending I could tell I was in the presence of a bunch of happy gardeners or gardeners-at-heart (I say this because one man described his wife's love for the garden, despite her ever-present "black thumb").

For those who love a good garden show, be sure to look for upcoming events. I sense from the title of this show, "The Second Annual. . .", that there will be a third, and more, hopefully. If you would like additional information on any displays I mentioned, or would like to know of upcoming events, I would be happy to help you. So, until next time, Happy Planting!

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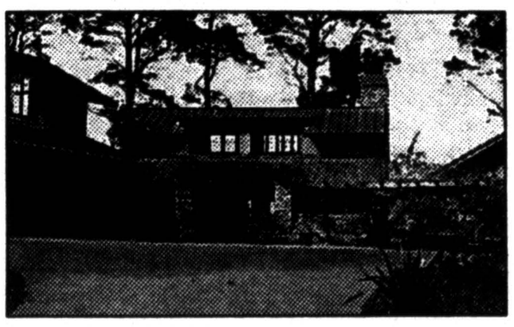

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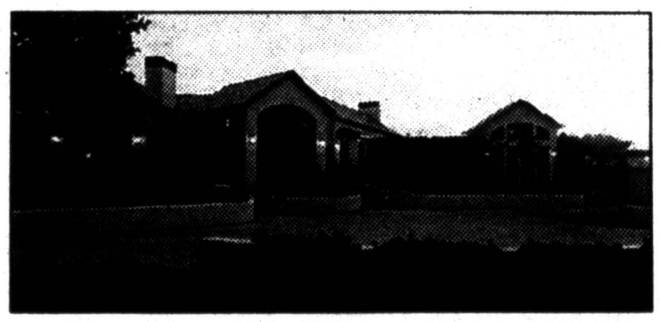

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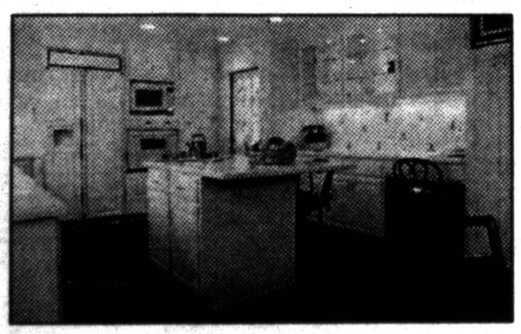

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